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UNION CHIEF GUARDED AFTER VIOLENCE THREATS

MONTREAL (BUP) — Dorval police today guarded the home of union chief William Gamble, whose Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen members are on strike against the Canadian Pacific Railways, following two telephone threats of physical violence.

Gamble disclosed that the calls threatened physical harm to him and his family. There also was a threat to blow up his home.

The callers were "very abusive," he said. A police spokesman said a patrol car had been ordered to check the home at frequent intervals, but that no round-the-clock guard had been established.

Gamble lives in an area where most residents normally commute to offices in Montreal on now-idle Canadian Pacific trains. The strike has forced them to switch to the less convenient Canadian National Railway, and to buses and car pools.

McMahon Plans \$100 Millions In New Projects

VANCOUVER (CP) — Plans to spend \$55,000,000 to increase capacity of the Peace River gas pipeline from a projected 400,000,000 cubic feet per day to 660,000,000 cubic feet was announced today by Westcoast Transmission Co. Ltd. as part of a \$100,000,000 expansion program.

Included is construction of a new sulphur plant in south-western Alberta and a new natural gas pipeline from Savanna to southeastern B.C. and the U.S. border.

Builders of the \$170,000,000 natural gas line through British Columbia from the Peace River area to the U.S. border, West Coast said a contract has been signed with Phillips Petroleum Co. of Bartlesville, Okla., for gas in the Savanna Creek area in Southern Alberta, near the B.C. border.

Another contract has been signed for export of the gas via Kingsgate, B.C., with Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corporation of Houston, Texas. It is the same company with which West

TWO PHASES

Frank McMahon, president of West Coast who made the announcement, said the program will be divided into two phases. Of the total, \$55,000,000 will be spent to increase the capacity of the 30-inch Peace River line to 660,000,000 cubic feet a day from a planned 400,000,000 cubic feet a day.

This will mean additional compressor stations and other facilities, said Mr. McMahon, adding that the increased flow is necessary to meet greatly in-

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KIDNAPPED OR WHAT?

Police Hunt 'The Body'

VAN NUYS, Calif. (AP) — Actress Marie (The Body) McDonald vanished from her home early today, and police were investigating whether she had been kidnapped.

Police said the actress telephoned a film columnist today to say she was being held captive by two young men.

The blonde beauty's mother, Mrs. Marie Tuboni of nearby Woodland Hills, told police she received a phone call at 12:45 a.m. at her own home. A "male, young, nervous voice" told her: "We have Marie. No harm will come to her if police are not notified."

The mother called police, then rushed to her daughter's home in Encino. She found the front door ajar and lights blazing in Miss McDonald's bedroom.

SERVANTS ASLEEP

The three house servants were sleeping.

Soon after the call to Mrs. Tuboni, the 32-year-old actress' former husband, wealthy shoe manufacturer Harry Karl, received a call.

"We have your wife," he quoted the male caller. "If you want to see her alive again, don't contact police. We'll contact you later."

Found in Miss McDonald's mailbox, police said, was a pencilled note not in her handwriting. It read: "Don't call police. She won't be hurt to get money. We'll get in touch with you."

Actor Michael Wilding, former husband of actress Elizabeth Taylor, has been Miss McDonald's escort in recent months. He told police he visited her Thursday night but left about 7 p.m.

The 32-year-old actress, tagged

Hint St. Laurent May Act Soon To Seek Rail Strike Solution

ONE FROM B.C.

Four New Senators Appointed

Sydney Smith, Kamloops businessman and one of British Columbia's most prominent Liberals, was named to the Senate today.

He was one of four new senators whose appointments were announced in Ottawa by Prime Minister St. Laurent.

The others are: Austin C. Taylor, 63, Salisbury, N.B., former New Brunswick agriculture minister; Henri C. Bois, 59, agronomist from St. Bruno, Que.; William Boucher, 67, a farmer from Prince Albert, Sask., and former member of the Commons.

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Democrat Bucks Ike's Plan For Mid-East

(See also Page 3.)

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senator Mike Mansfield (Dem., Mont.) called on President Eisenhower today to give the United States Congress an estimate of the "costs and of the dangers" involved in his proposal for thwarting possible Red aggression in the Middle East.

Mansfield, a member of the Senate foreign relations committee, said Eisenhower should provide this information when he appears before a joint session Saturday.

The president will go before an unusual Saturday joint session to press for approval of a resolution which would:

1. Give him advance authority to use U.S. military might if he feels such a move necessary to block Russian intrusion into the Middle East.

2. Authorize the spending of \$400,000,000 over a two-year period beginning next July for economic aid to countries in the strife-wracked area.

Adlai E. Stevenson, defeated Democratic presidential candidate, said in a statement that Eisenhower "is evidently trying frantically to fill the vacuum that his own policy helped create before Russia does."



SYDNEY J. SMITH
Kamloops auto dealer
newest B.C. Senator



W. A. BOUCHER
Prince Albert farmer



AUSTIN C. TAYLOR
N.B. Liberal leader

PRAYER FOR TODAY

O God, grant us grace enough to jump in where angels would like to tread—so that this world of ours may become a better place for all mankind. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.



H. ALAN MACLEAN, QC... joins B.C. Supreme Court.

STRIKE DEVELOPMENTS

1. St. Laurent may act by Monday.
2. Full ferry tie-up still threatens.
3. Gamble threatened; home guarded.
4. CPR express here closes down.
5. Production loss in Canada to be \$10 millions daily.
6. Number of jobless grows.
7. Halifax gets shipping boom. (See Page 21.)

W. Coast Ship Escapes Tie-Up

Princess of Alberni Only Vessel
Still Carrying Freight on Coast

Mv. Princess of Alberni, scheduled to sail this afternoon from Vancouver for west coast of Vancouver Island ports, is the only CPR ship still carrying freight to B.C.

Fully loaded, and with crew aboard, she has been undergoing minor engine repairs. Her departure will bring a temporary end to possible hardships for island residents who depend on the small CPR vessel for supplies.

Although CPR ferries between Victoria and Vancouver, Nanaimo and Vancouver, and Victoria and Seattle are maintaining schedule, the threat of a tie-up continues.

A meeting of the B.C. Federation of Labor at Vancouver, slated for 2 p.m. today, may decide whether the ships continue in service at all, and whether truckers will handle freight across picket lines set up by the striking railway firemen.

ALL-OUT SUPPORT BY BCFL
George Home, secretary of the federation, said Thursday "There is no doubt" that the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen "will receive all-out support" from the meeting.

"What we will try to determine," Mr. Home said, "is how far the strike picket line extends—if the strike is against the CPR company or the CPR system."

Since the firemen's strike began Wednesday at 4 p.m. across the country, some crew members have remained aboard their coastal ships rather than cross the picket lines. Others have gone through the lines.

Mr. Home said the line at the CPR ferry dock in Vancouver was "A last-minute move. Some of the unions don't know whether to respect it or not and they won't know until we discuss the matter fully."

No wharf pickets have been set up in Victoria.

Picket lines at docks used by

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Move Suggested Before Parliament Meets Next Week

By VICTOR J. MACKIE, Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—Prime Minister St. Laurent may decide to meet with heads of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen (CLC), and the Canadian Pacific Railway early next week, in a final effort to bring about a settlement of the railway strike, before calling upon Parliament to act.

(The Canadian Press, in a report from Ottawa, quoted Mr. St. Laurent as saying something may be disclosed after Monday's cabinet meeting, the final ministerial session before Parliament opens on Tuesday.)

Should such a meeting come about it is believed the Prime Minister would propose the referring of the questions at issue to the Board of Transport Commissioners for a detailed study and report, or the establishment of an independent tribunal to do that job.

While the study was being made the CPR would resume operations. The Board of Transport Commissioners has the power to make decisions on what has become the main strike issue.

The union has refused to accept the CPR management's decision to do away with firemen in diesel on yard and freight service. But section 290 of the Railway Act gives the board power in "designating the number of men to be employed upon trains with a view to the safety of the public and of the employees."

The CPR has agreed to go to the board. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen has not agreed to submit the issue to the board. No one yet has sought the opinion of the board on the issue.

Personal Intervention Last Resort

Government sources said there was the possibility that the prime minister as a last resort, before going to parliament, might personally intervene to bring the two parties together and use the weight of his high office and his personal prestige to try to persuade union and management to reach a settlement.

Both Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, as acting prime minister, and Hon. M. F. Gregg, minister of labor, failed to settle the dispute in 10 hours of talks last Saturday and again Monday.

The government is reluctant to have to resort to the passage of special legislation forcing an end to the strike. If the union

and CPR management can be possibly persuaded to find some basis for settlement this would be far preferable to having parliament intervene as far as the government is concerned.

There is a precedent for the Prime Minister taking such action. Mr. St. Laurent called the disputing parties together in 1950. But at that time he met with no success. Parliament was used to settle that issue.

In 1953 the Prime Minister was able to prevent a walkout and lay the basis for a settlement, three days before the strike deadline, as a result of his discussions with labor and management. It was a personal triumph.

\$10,000,000 Production Loss Daily

Late Thursday night, spokesmen for the company and firemen said their positions are unchanged. No overtime had been made by either side.

About 70,000 of the company's employees are idle in the strike, called by 3,000 firemen on issues of wages and the role of diesel firemen-helpers.

While centres fed solely by

the CPR coped with problems of fuel, food, mail and other details, federal economists suggested at Ottawa the strike may snip \$10,000,000 daily from Canada's national production over its first week. After that, the slice might rise as high as \$10,000,000 daily.

Any such loss over a prolonged period could have a serious impact on a national production estimated to reach a record of more than \$31,000,000,000 this year, sharply higher than last year's \$29,700,000,000.

One Killed, 2 Critical

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (AP) — A 76-year-old pensioner, Bill Cramer, climaxed an argument over his welfare cheque by pulling out a pistol and shooting a commissioner and two welfare workers here today. Fred Peterson, a welfare worker, died a short time later. The others were in critical condition.

Israel Pull-Out Talks

JERUSALEM (Reuters) — Maj.-Gen. E. L. M. Burns and the Israeli chief of staff, Maj.-Gen. Moshe Dayan, met today for further talks on the withdrawal timetable of Israeli forces from the Sinai Peninsula.

GEORGE IN GOOD CONDITION

City Boy's Heart Stopped In Touch-and-Go Surgery

Flow of blood to the heart of a 10-year-old boy was halted for three minutes during a history-making operation at Royal Jubilee Hospital recently, it was confirmed today.

The rare technique, developed in Europe and tried sparingly since, was never before attempted in the city.

The success of the operation enables George Exley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Exley, 1216 Pembroke, to look forward to sports and normal

boyhood pursuits he has never enjoyed before.

The youngster was born with a hole in a wall separating two main chambers of the heart.

A Victoria surgeon—anonymous because of medical profession ethics—carried out two operations, using a technique developed in Copenhagen and seldom used before in this country.

In order to mend the hole a large vein bringing blood to the heart was constricted,

stopping the flow and the heart for about three minutes. All repairs to the vital organ had to be completed in that short time as to stop the heart for longer would mean probable brain damage, medical experts stated.

The operation was conducted in two phases, the first on Nov. 13. The second, carried out Dec. 18, lasted four and a half hours.

George is in good condition in his third week of convalescence.

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2 SEARCHERS DIE ON PEAK

AOMORI, Japan (AP)—Bitter cold killed two men in a nine-man search party on the treacherous slopes of Mount Hakoda today. Two others are missing and feared dead. The nine started out Thursday night to hunt for a missing skier, now believed dead.

SHIPS

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CPR ships have been respected by truck drivers and no cargo has been handled on them.

The firemen aim to immobilize the company's direct shipping links with the railway, a union official said.

If the 850 men employed on the West Coast CPR ships went on strike in sympathy with the firemen, seven ships would be affected.

Five ferries provide daily service between Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo and Seattle. There is one return trip a day between Vancouver and Victoria and between Victoria and Seattle. Eight return trips are made daily between Vancouver and Nanaimo.

Black Ball Ferries Ltd., which would be unaffected, also operates a service to Nanaimo from Horseshoe Bay on Howe Sound and has said it will provide 24-hour service if necessary.

Nothing was finalized Thursday at a meeting of the Maritime Port Council, comprised of nine international unions controlling seamen, dockworkers, and truck drivers.

W. L. Druce, international vice-president of firemen, said "We have been given a definite assurance our picket lines will be respected."

Charles Gower, secretary of the district Council of Teamsters, said the council "unanimously endorsed strike action."

Today's meeting will refer any final decision to the Canadian Labor Congress in Ottawa for approval.

Time, Digest Pay New Tax; Others Quit

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's new tax on Canadian editions of foreign magazines—announced in the federal budget last March—has gone into effect with the new year. Apparently only Time and Reader's Digest will pay the tax at present.

Four other publications—Parents Magazine, Family Circle, Woman's Day and Canadian Farm, Chemicals—which had Canadian editions when the tax was announced, have discontinued them. Another American magazine, Better Living, which also had a Canadian edition, has itself ceased publication. Religious and medical magazines are exempt.

Both Time and Reader's Digest have raised their advertising rates to cover the tax. On the basis of 1953 figures it is estimated they will pay an additional \$900,000 in taxes.

Lollo Is Eeinte

ROME (Reuters)—Italian actress Gina Lollobrigida announced Thursday night she is expecting a baby—"I hope a girl"—next July. Gina and her husband, Dr. Milko Skofic, who were married in January, 1949, said they were delighted.

BACKACHE MaybeWarning

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SENATORS

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The appointments—for life terms at \$10,000 a year—cut vacancies in the 102-seat upper chamber to 14 from 18. All of the new appointees are Liberals.

Mr. Smith, 64, was elected to the B.C. legislature in 1949 and was defeated in his bid for reelection in 1952 by Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi.

He first became prominent in provincial Liberal party affairs at the 1947 convention of the B.C. Liberal Association, and in 1949 was elected first vice-president.

He was elected president in 1953 and held the position until last year.

As a member of the legislature he was chairman of the B.C. hospital insurance committee which made an extensive review of the operations of the B.C.H.S.

CAR DEALER

Born in Ottawa, Mr. Smith has been an automobile dealer in Kamloops since the mid-thirties, and also holds executive positions in hop plantations and dairy operations in the Kamloops area.

"He is married, and has two grown sons and a daughter. He is a member of the United Church."

Mr. Boucher, 67-year-old farmer, is a former Liberal member of the Commons, who represented Rosthern, Sask., from 1948 to 1953. A reeve for the municipality of St. Louis for 16 years, he also was director of the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities for six years and a director of the Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League for 12 years. He is a Roman Catholic.

RANCHER

Mr. Taylor, 63, is a former New Brunswick minister of agriculture—1935-52—and was elected leader of the N.B. Liberal party in 1954. He is a farmer, fox rancher and merchant. He is a Baptist.

Mr. Bois, 59, an agronomist, is president and general manager of the Co-operative Federation de Quebec, Quebec's largest agricultural co-operative. He is a Roman Catholic.

These are the first appointments to the Upper Chamber since July, 1953. At that time Mr. St. Laurent appointed 13 senators, including one Conservative and one woman. There now are five women in the chamber.

The vacancies by provinces: Newfoundland, one; Nova Scotia, one; New Brunswick, two; Quebec, five; Ontario, two; Manitoba, one; Saskatchewan, one; Alberta, one.

Current standing in the Senate: Liberals, 80; Conservatives, 5; Independent Liberals, 1; Independent, 2; vacancies, 14.

MOUNTAIN SPOT

Interlaken, in the Swiss Alps gets its name from "Inter Lacus" an Augustine monastery founded in 1133.

McMAHON

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created demands for natural gas since the project was originally planned.

Prime user will be Pacific Northwest Pipeline in the U.S. but both B.C. Electric Co. and Inland Natural Gas have increased their planned volume for use in B.C.

NEW FIELDS

The second phase costing \$45,000,000 will include a 174-mile, 30-inch pipeline from newly discovered gas fields in Savanna owned by Phillips to Southeastern B.C.

Also included in this phase, said Mr. McMahon, is construction of a 500-ton-a-day sulphur plant in Southwestern Alberta. The new pipeline will serve Coleman, Blairmore and other areas in Alberta and Natal, Michel, Cranbrook, Fernie, Kimberley and other southeastern B.C. towns.

"When the pipeline is completed from Savanna Creek field to Kingsgate, it will mean that we have assured natural gas service for practically every community in B.C.," said Mr. McMahon.

"In addition (the new pipeline) will give an incentive to renewed exploration and drilling activities in the Flathead district of southeastern B.C. which has always been considered potentially favorable to oil and gas discoveries," said Mr. McMahon.

70% COMPLETE

Construction of the Peace River line went into high gear in 1956 and now is more than 70 per cent complete. Gas is scheduled to flow by fall this year.

The project includes a \$15,000,000 gas processing plant at Taylor, B.C., in the Peace River. Mr. McMahon said he believed the gas reserves of northern Alberta and B.C. "may some day be ranked among the greatest on the continent."

He said the proposed merger of Pacific Northwest and El Paso Natural Gas Co.—two major U.S. natural gas pipelines to serve the Pacific Coast, Colorado and the U.S. Midwest—will provide a huge market area for surplus Canadian gas.

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AIDED PROBE—Major Peter MacKinnon, of Revelstoke, B.C., took part in early investigation into death by asphyxiation of Lieut. Anthony Moorhouse, British officer kidnapped in Egypt. Thursday the British War Office announced Scotland Yard's top medical expert is en route to Naples to continue probe, into cause of Moorhouse's death. (CP Photo.)

Shoot Order Given Hungary Border Guards

VIENNA (Reuters)—The Vienna newspaper Die Presse reported today that Hungarian border patrols have been ordered to halt the flow of Hungarian refugees across the frontier into Austria by shooting more often.

Only 265 refugees managed to reach Austrian soil during the night. During the daylight hours Thursday, 178 arrived, for a total in the last 24 hours of 443—lowest number for many weeks.

Die Presse said the sudden decline in the flow of refugees is due to a change in orders to Hungarian frontier guards.

Starting Wednesday night, gunfire along the frontier has been heavier than usual.

At one time volunteer helpers heard firing so intense they thought a battle was raging. When the firing died down, 30 refugees straggled into Austria carrying the body of 50-year-old Mrs. Gabor Molnar, killed by rifle fire.

ROCK 'N' ROLL HERO MAY SOON SLOG 'N' 'SHUN

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—Rock 'n' roll singer Elvis Presley reports today for a pre-induction physical examination, the army recruiting service announced.

Sgt. Sy Sillin, a public information officer, said it would probably be six months to a year before Presley, 22, will be called up if he passes the physical examination. Presley wasn't immediately available for comment.

TALKS WITH WIFE

Cut in Half,
Man Lives
Five Hours

HANNIBAL, Mo. (AP)—A man whose body was severed just below the waist Thursday amazed physicians by living for more than five hours, fully conscious and able to talk rationally until an anesthetic was administered.

"I never heard of such a thing," said Dr. J. W. Well, the attending physician at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. "Neither had any of the other doctors who came in to look at him."

John Bobbitt, 46, was severed across the abdomen by a switch engine at 10:35 a.m.

He appeared to be in little pain and talked rationally with several persons, including his wife, his minister and physicians for three hours until the anesthetic was administered at 1:30 p.m. He finally died of shock at 3:45 p.m. without regaining consciousness.

One reason Bobbitt survived so long was that the crushing injury sealed off blood vessels and there was almost no bleeding, Dr. Well said. He realized his condition from the first and was told that he would die.

JUSTICE IN HOSPITAL

VANCOUVER—Mr. Justice H. W. McInnes went into Vancouver General Hospital Thursday to undergo an operation.

He expects to be away from his judicial duties for about three weeks.

Self-Employed Try Again To Get Tax Exemptions On Pension Plans

OTTAWA (CP)—Spokesmen for Canadian accountants and lawyers today renewed their appeal to the government to allow self-employed persons the same tax exemptions granted employees on payments made to retirement or pension schemes.

A similar plea was made in previous years and rejected, partly on the ground there is no technical need to grant professional classes a tax postponement on savings and that such a move might reduce the amount of risk capital available for stock purchases.

The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants and the Canadian Bar Association, in a joint brief to Finance Minister Harris, charged that the present policy is discriminatory: It allowed one group of taxpayers to deduct pension payments but refused the same right to other groups such as doctors, lawyers, storekeepers and self-employed farmers and fishermen.

Employees contributing to an approved or registered pension plan are allowed to claim the payments as an income tax deduction. When the worker retires and starts collecting his pension or annuity, the income

NEW YORK (AP)—The New York Times says the price of its Sunday edition will be increased from 25 cents to 35 cents outside a 200-mile radius from the city, effective Jan. 13. The price inside the 200-mile radius will continue at 25 cents.

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Cost of Living Hits New Peak

Up for Third Straight Month Despite Decrease in Food Index

OTTAWA (CP) — The consumer price index increased fractionally in November to a record 120.4, the third straight month a new high has been reached, the Bureau of Statistics said today.

RUSS AIDING IRA, SAYS U.K. PAPER

LONDON (AP)—The Daily Mail says that Northern Ireland has "positive proof" that Russian agents are actively aiding the Irish Republican Army in its raids on Northern Ireland.

DUBLIN (AP)—Two members of the Irish Parliament demanded Thursday that the United Nations send observers to Northern Ireland to study conditions in what they called an "occupied" part of their country.

U.K. Papers Cool to Ike's Mid-East Plan

Doubt Can Succeed Where Eden Failed

LONDON (Reuters)—Two influential British political weeklies—one right-wing, the other left-wing—question whether the "Eisenhower doctrine" for the Middle East can succeed where Britain failed.

The right-wing Spectator and the left-wing New Statesman and Nation comment on President Eisenhower's reported plan to send American troops if necessary to the Middle East to counter Soviet aggression and keep peace in the area.

"The American problem is the old one: To be effective, any alliance with the Arab states means imposing a settlement with Israel upon them," says the Spectator.

"The president and the state department must now be thinking how they can get round this snag. It certainly will not be achieved by appealing the Arabs at Israel's expense.

"Britain has tried that way and failed miserably."

"The dilemma of trying to protect from subversion countries which do not wish to be protected is insoluble except by a threat of war directed against the source of the mischief. Does President Eisenhower mean to go so far?"

The New Statesman and Nation asks: "Is there any reason to suppose that America can succeed where Britain has so signally failed?"

Eisenhower, it says, is "anxious to make it plain to the Arab states as well as to Russia; that America has both the will and the power to intervene in overwhelming force, should a real Russian threat in the Middle East develop."

NO POLICY

But, the weekly adds, this alone does not constitute a Middle Eastern policy.

American Middle East policy will not make sense unless it has an Arab-Israeli peace settlement as an objective, the journal concludes.

Red China charged today that President Eisenhower's new Middle East policy is an "avaricious, vicious scheme of colonialist aggression and oppression."

An Egyptian newspaper reacted adversely today to Eisenhower's proposal, but was slightly more receptive to the companion plan for U.S. economic aid to the region. The paper Al Ahram warns, however, that aid must not be offered with conditions which countries needing it would view as a threat to their sovereignty.

In Paris, the independent left-wing paper Combat describes Eisenhower's plan as Britain's cruellest humiliation and gravest defeat since the loss of Singapore in 1941.

Assassination Plan Revealed Against Truman

ALBEMARLE, N.C. (AP)—A Korean veteran, saying he was bent on avenging his brother's death, Thursday revealed a weird plan to assassinate former President Harry S. Truman.

Frail 32-year-old Leroy Shadrick, speaking from a jail cell where he is held for attempted armed robbery, said he holds Truman directly responsible for the death in July, 1950, of Pte. Kenneth Shadrick, reported to have been the first United States soldier to die in Korea.

Shadrick said he planned to kill the former president at his Independence, Mo., home next July 5, the seventh anniversary of the soldier's death.

Shadrick was arrested here last Dec. 19 when a holdup attempt was foiled by the scream of a woman teller. This robbery, said Shadrick, was to have been the first step in the fantastic scheme.

The 102-pound coal miner from Skelton, W.Va., said he had hoped to get \$5,000 to use to "hole up" until next July.

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Sunken Liner Doria Met Safety Standards By 'Narrow Margin'

WASHINGTON (AP)—American specialists who investigated the Andrea Doria sinking for a United States congressional committee say the Italian luxury liner met, "by a very narrow margin," certain international safety standards.

In Genoa, owners of the multi-

million-dollar vessel disputed this and other findings of a panel which conducted the investigation, outgrowth of the loss of the Doria off the Massachusetts coast July 25 following a collision with the Stockholm, a Swedish vessel. Some 50 persons died.

The investigators, while avoiding placing blame for the incident, said there were "serious questions" as to whether the Doria and the Stockholm "were being operated in accordance with the precepts of good seamanship and the provisions of

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the international convention for safety of life at sea." The investigators also said the information they had indicated the vessel was not properly ballasted, causing her to list badly after the crash.

Replying, the Doria's owners said the liner met fully international requirements on watertight subdivision of hulls. On the question of ballasting, the owners said: "The best proof of the positive stability of the ship is seen in the fact that despite the tremendous blow she received, the ship was able to remain afloat for 11 hours."

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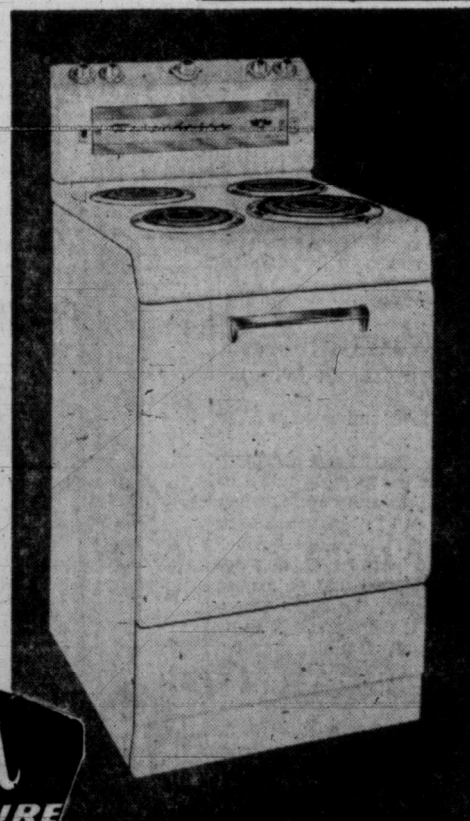
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The Vacuum Remains

MR. PEARSON CONTINUES TO demand strong leadership in world affairs from the United States. His pleas to President Eisenhower are echoed in London and Paris and, indeed, throughout the Western nations. But after a strong act of negative leadership, in opposition to Britain and France at Suez, Mr. Eisenhower has failed so far to fill the resulting power vacuum. The vacuum remains and it is highly dangerous.

The President's request to Congress for authority to send troops to the Middle East in the event of Russian aggression will act as a deterrent, if Congress approves it. But it is essentially a defensive move.

His plan for large-scale economic aid to Mediterranean countries will be welcomed. But it is not an immediate plan, and it does not attempt to solve the pressing political problems that confront the Middle East.

These still remain and must be faced as soon as possible. So far, the United States has announced no policy to solve the situation, other than general support for the United Nations.

After the Suez episode had revealed, in startling nakedness, the collapse of Mr. Dulles' house of cards in the Middle East it was to be expected that the American Government would need a little time to undertake an agonizing reappraisal of its foreign policy.

Moreover, it was suddenly compelled to consider two unexpected events far beyond the Middle East when Russia found its satellite empire seething and then proposed a virtual withdrawal of all foreign troops from central Europe. These gigantic affairs could not be dealt with overnight.

But events are moving fast while Washington ponders both the Middle East and Europe. They certainly are not moving under the initiative of the United States. For the moment both the West and Russia seem to have lost the initiative and are caught quite off balance, the former in the Middle East, the latter in Europe.

As Mr. James Reston, the distinguished political analyst, wrote from Washington after the conference there between Mr. Eisenhower and Mr. Nehru, "both are extremely good in pronouncing doctrines that are easy to define but difficult to apply. Both are in danger of being judged by history as self-righteous talkers who, at a critical moment in world events, opposed a military solution in the Middle East while being unable to achieve any practical solution there themselves. In some ways,

the personal risk is even greater than that, for Eisenhower and Nehru have increasingly shown a tendency to exclude their own national interests from the idealistic theories they pronounce for others.

"There is nothing in the tragic developments in Egypt and Hungary," Mr. Reston adds, "to suggest that widely publicized personal agreements . . . are any substitute for careful, hard-headed negotiations on the stubborn differences that divide the nations in these two parts of the world."

Admittedly the crisis in American foreign policy is baffling. The President's paramount problem is to nourish the confidence of the United States' old friends in the Commonwealth and Europe while maintaining at the same time its newly-won prestige in the Asia-African world. And the danger is that the United States will fall between two stools.

Time will not wait long either in Europe or the Middle East. Mr. Eisenhower must soon dismiss or agree to discuss Russia's plan for a cordon sanitaire running through the centre of Europe and, with it, an agreed reduction in armaments—a project superficially attractive but full of grave risks.

Action to fill the power vacuum of the Middle East is even more urgent but here at least the first vital step can be foreseen and the immediate danger be forestalled.

It is essential above all to prevent the liquidation of the United Nations police force, for if that occurs, under the pressure of Egypt and Israel, we shall be right back where we started before the Suez trouble. The danger of another clash between Israel and its neighbors, and the added danger of Russian intervention, will remain.

Clearly it will take a long time to make a permanent settlement in this region when the Arab world is willing to settle for nothing less than Israel's destruction. Nor is there any early prospect of a truly internationalized canal when no foreign power is prepared to coerce President Nasser.

But if the hopeful experiment of an international force is allowed to die, if the United Nations weakly abandons this symbol and agent of its power then the events of the last two months must be written off as a total loss though they could be converted into a permanent gain.

The starting point of an American policy, therefore, should be the maintenance of the United Nations force ready for all future emergencies. Assuredly emergencies will not be lacking.

An Ultimatum—a Fish Treaty

CANADA AND THE UNITED States have signed a new treaty to protect West Coast pink salmon. This is no innovation in co-operative action between the two countries.

The event does, however, reflect credit on Fisheries Minister James Sinclair whose firm stand on the treaty speeded the signing—and speed was important.

Last October the Canadian minister delivered an ultimatum. Either, he said, a treaty would be made or he would permit Canadian fishermen to catch as much as they could of the pink run.

His action followed reports of unrestricted fishing by United States boats which harvested roughly 70 per cent of the total catch, using nets beyond the legal size set by Canada for Canadians.

American interests raised innumerable arguments to indicate the difficulties, if not the impossibility, of enforcing regulations. States rights came into the question. So did the matter of fishing beyond certain limits.

Mr. Sinclair's answer was direct

and simple. Knowing that Canada and the U.S. had agreed to protect halibut and sockeye—and had made protective measures stick—he had only to say Canada would lift its regulations covering pinks to reveal to the U.S. that it had ample means of enforcing a treaty.

The net result of the agreement will be an assurance that sufficient pinks escape to reach spawning grounds and build up runs. While not as commercially important as the sockeye, which represents about 60 per cent of the annual pack, the pink is a highly valuable food source. As the years go by, it should become an even larger contributor to the national and export larder, since the species can be transplanted and established in new streams.

Mr. Sinclair has done a stroke of good business for Canada and for the salmon fisheries in general. Had negotiations been unduly prolonged, the pink might have been depleted, if not to the point of extinction, at least to a degree which would have greatly reduced catches in years to come.

Passive Resistance Wins

AS THE CONTINUING PROBLEMS of desegregation plague some southern sections of the United States, the Negro leaders of Montgomery, Alabama, have scored another victory—and by means which should earn general respect.

The Montgomery Improvement Association, the Negro organization which co-ordinated the bus boycott—was ready when the United States Supreme Court brought down its ruling setting aside local and state legislation permitting segregation on buses.

The association had advised the colored community how to receive this decision and how to deal with the possible reaction of some white bus riders.

"Do not," it advised the Negro population, "sit by a white person unless there is no other seat."

"If cursed, do not curse back. If pushed, do not push back."

"If struck, do not strike back . . ."

"If another person is being

molested, do not arise to go to his defence."

"Evidence love and good will at all times."

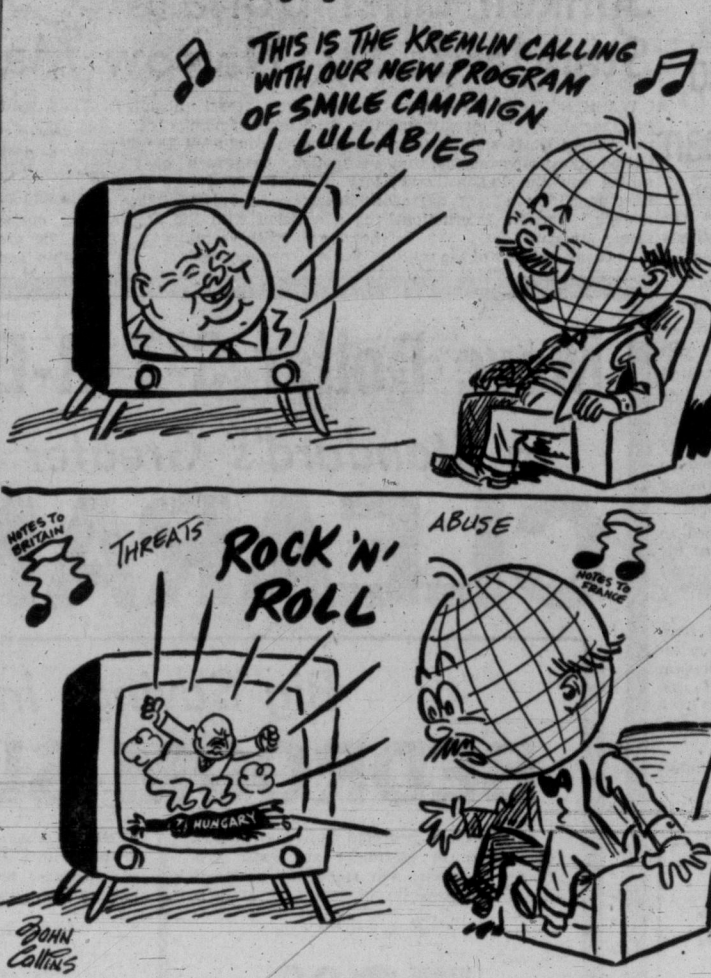
The advice was widely accepted. Even deliberate provocation failed to draw Negroes into altercations when they received official permission to sit wherever they wished in a bus.

The Gandhi pattern of non-violence was so effective that no excuse existed for rioting. In cases where deliberate efforts were made to draw colored people into trouble, they behaved with a restraint which revealed the provocateurs in their true colors.

This does not, of course, solve the deep-rooted problems arising from desegregation. It does, however, point to a way to avoid the rioting and bloodshed which might be expected as Negroes are given further court recognition of equality.

The Montgomery example seems to show others elsewhere in the U.S. that racist antagonists cannot fight physically against people who won't be baited into assault.

Changing Their Tune



FROM WASHINGTON By STEWART ALSOP

Nothing Really New

THERE is an old military maxim: "If you don't know what to do, do something." It is a good rule, because in a time of danger, doing something is always better than doing nothing. By the same token, the administration's double-barrelled plan for dealing with the Middle Eastern crisis is a great deal better than nothing. But the plan has been widely hailed both as a potential solution for the crisis, and as a bold new departure like the "Truman Doctrine" or the Marshall Plan. In fact, it is nothing of the sort.

The plan has two parts. Congress will be asked to authorize the President in advance to oppose with force a Soviet aggression in the Middle East. At the same time, the "Middle Eastern" countries are to get "special attention" within the framework of a foreign aid bill somewhat smaller than the administration requested last year.

The request for standby authority is really hardly more than a restatement of the obvious. The United States is already legally committed to defend Greece and Turkey against Soviet aggression, and morally committed to defend Iran and Pakistan. Soviet forces would have to pass through or over these countries to attack other Middle Eastern countries.

No one seriously believes that the Soviets intend to launch a parachute attack on, say, Iraq, or that the United States would look the other way if they did. In fact, it has been clear ever since the Azerbaijan crisis in 1946 that overt aggression by the Soviets in the Middle East would invite American intervention and a third world war.

Nothing New

It is equally clear that there is nothing really new about the second part of the plan.

Under the current foreign aid program, the administration asked for more than \$300 million for the Middle Eastern countries. The administration may ask for \$50 million or even \$100 million more this year. But this is not a bold new program. It is a change of emphasis in an existing program—no doubt a desirable change of emphasis, but no more than that.

In fact, the real danger in the Middle East springs neither from lack of dollar aid nor from the threat of overt Soviet aggression. The oil producing countries, Iraq and Saudi Arabia notably, have dollars coming out of their ears. Syria has refused dollar aid already, on political grounds.

Egypt's Colonel Nasser is regarded with good reason by the British and French as their mortal enemy. If he is now rewarded with generous helpings of

American dollars, without any firm commitments in return, the strained Western Alliance will endure another heavy blow.

As for the military threat, it is indirect rather than overt. On Monday, Frank Kelley, able foreign correspondent for the New York Herald Tribune, reported that the Soviet and Syrian governments have reached a firm agreement. The agreement provides not only for the continuing supply of Soviet arms to Syria, but for placing Soviet technicians actually in command of key Syrian units.

If there is any provision in the new plan for dealing with this kind of indirect threat it is not visible to the naked eye. The fact is that the Soviets have no reason to resort to overt aggression in the Middle East.

Nasser and his Syrian imitator, Col. Serraj, are not Communists. But they share the same objectives as the Soviets—to eliminate all Western interests and influence, ultimately including American interests and influence, in the Middle East. Thus the Soviets need only arm and otherwise encourage Nasser-type Arab nationalism in order to serve Soviet ends.

Particularly Useful

All this is not to suggest that the proposal to give the President standby authority to resist Soviet aggression in the Middle East is not a useful proposal. A restatement of the obvious can often be very useful. It may be particularly useful now since (as Ambassador to France Douglas Dillon diplomatically but accurately pointed out) Soviet threats of aggression were the key factor causing the collapse of the Anglo-French Suez adventure.

Moreover foreign aid dollars, though they will not miraculously transform the situation, can be usefully used to deal with the cancerous Arab refugee problem, to bolster collapsing Jordan, and to give the West some sort of bargaining power with Nasser in negotiations for a Canal agreement.

But it is dangerously misleading to elevate a restatement of the obvious to the status of a new, historic "doctrine," or to represent as a bold, new departure what is really a rather cautious change in emphasis.

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DENNIS THE MENACE



"Hi, Mrs. Wilson! This sure is not chocolate weather, isn't it?"

From Our Files

Jan. 4, 1897 — Clement Rowland will continue the leadership of the male singing class in the YMCA rooms. Practices will be held on Thursday evenings. There are vacancies for first basses.

Jan. 4, 1917 — Victorians this week are seeing a Chaplin movie again. Charlie is at the Columbia Theatre in "The Rink." At the Variety is Louise Lovely in "The Measure of a Man."

Jan. 4, 1937 — At the Plaza Theatre for a three-day run are the Three Marx Brothers in their latest comedy, "A Night at the Opera," described as one of their most successful efforts.

As Our Readers See It

Moon-Gazing

It is rather amazing that no news to date—knowingly—has been issued about the great activity that is going on on the moon.

We have read and heard much about flying saucers and other strange phantasm in the etheral regions. On Dec. 25-26-27th it was thrilling to watch the moon, with the naked eye, and witness the dark machinery that was driving sections—in canoe or crescent shape—into certain positions. Occasionally one section would slip away into the surrounding darkness, then a perfect replica would move in and take up the vacant place—then the dark machinery would emerge again and the whole space of the moon consist of what is known as quarters, but clearly defined and all bent and fitted in place to face the West.

About six months ago—at full moon—one could distinctly see the cavities—or craters—in the moon which gave only the appearance of a world map with the cavities filling the same position as the ocean does on our world map.

It would be interesting to know if you have received any other communication regarding the "unknown"?

ELLEN HART.

Chipperfield, East Sooke.

Familiar Pastime

It is of course customary between wars, for some people and countries to take a kick at Great Britain when she appears to be down, and as usual the I.R.A. have lived up to expectations.

It should be obvious to any thinking person that the vast majority of the people of Northern Ireland have no desire to return to rule from Dublin, and revert to the semi-poverty which is so prevalent south of the border.

Strangely enough, the clamor always comes from the south, though I imagine that the Northern Irish are quite capable of making their desires known without Southern assistance.

A. J. BROOME.

Wants Action in Saanich

Allow me a small space in your valuable paper to speak to the ratepayers of the Municipality of Saanich.

I think it is high time we asserted our authority in municipal affairs. The actions of Reeve Ash are disgraceful. We wasted a whole year arguing and bickering. The reeve blamed the councillors.

We wasted a whole summer of beautiful weather, ideal for ditch digging. It costs thousands of dollars pumping out ditches during the wet season.

Reeve Ash, is too much concerned with amalgamation. I wonder if he knows the cost incurred in amalgamation with the City of Victoria. We have not got the money to carry on the needed work in our own municipality. Why does he not listen to the men who have served on the Council for several years and know what's what.

I don't need the reeve to tell me who to vote for. I use my own judgment. I appeal to the ratepayers to demand the reeve's resignation. We cannot afford to waste another year arguing and scrapping. Let's get on with the job or quit.

F. T. ROGERS.

185, Sims Avenue.

Price of Bread

Bruce Hutchison's recent articles on inflation fail to mention business "efficiency" which by instinct and training screws every nickel out of the public that can by any possibility be got at.

He says: "In inflation, one test is absolute, one thermometer infallible. If prices in total are rising, this can only mean that total demand exceeds supply. If the situation were reversed, prices would fall."

The situation was reversed in recently past years when the prairies became glutted with wheat. Did this bring down the price of bread?

You bet your life it didn't.

Or does his "total" cover up his omission?

G. SHRAPNEL.

1578 Clive Drive.

(Ed. Note: The price of wheat is set by the Federal Government on the basis of foreign markets.)

Inflation by Wages

When Mr. Bruce Hutchison permits himself to be used, as he apparently has done in his article on bank interest rates, as a mouthpiece for the Government, or the Government-controlled Bank of Canada, he should take care to get his facts straight.

According to my information, the Bank of Canada has increased the reserve requirements of the banks, forcing them to sell large holdings of Government securities; and has also forced the banks to require their customers to sell Government securities rather than borrow on them to meet temporary requirements. This, of course, has the same effect as sale of securities by the Central Bank itself, and has the effect of reducing the total money supply. The Bank of Canada has also campaigned actively all over the place for a program of curtailment of borrowing and forced acceleration of repayments.

Therefore, for the Bank of Canada to contend that it has taken no direct action to increase interest rates is so much eye-wash and constitutes a deliberate attempt to deceive and confuse public thinking.

To state that the Chartered Banks want high interest rates is simply not in accordance with the facts, and informed economists, contrary to Mr. Hutchison's opinion, are in general agreement that no monetary inflation exists at all, but rather a cost inflation due to constant raising of wages by the unions.

Mr. Hutchison (and presumably the Bank of Canada) contend with absolute conviction that the supply of goods is inadequate to meet the demand. Well, what goods? Certainly not agricultural products—not base metals—the accumulation of copper stocks is worrying producers and the other metals are being maintained in price by stock pile buying by the U.S. Government—not wood products, the production of which has clearly caught up with demand—and so on. I can think only of certain steel products,

Faith Healing

The writer of a letter in your issue of Dec. 27 denounced the Rev. O. Roberts of Oklahoma for practicing faith healing.

This is rather surprising, seeing that he was simply following the teachings of Jesus. Evidently the Jews, at the time of Jesus, believed that disease (especially epilepsy and insanity) was caused by the person "being possessed" by demons. This is shown by the fact that He promised his followers "In my name shall ye cast out devils," in the same way as He did in the case of one sick man, commanding the devils to enter a herd of pigs, which thereupon ran down a steep hill into the sea and drowned. Inconsistency, thy name is Man!

"ICONOCLAST."

First Things First

In rural areas one expects rural party line phones. A city like Victoria deserves better service. In Calgary such country service would be ridiculed.

Again thanks to our inadequate drainage we can expect our basements to be flooded every four years.

Surely such an unhealthy situation should be remedied before we spend five million dollars on schools.

We must put first things first.

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Lost Enjoyment

There must be many invalids like myself who depend a great deal on television for entertainment.

Channel 5 carries some excellent programs, which I, for one, can no longer see. On my set, in spite of a gadget intended to stop interference, CHEK-TV blocks out Channel 5 completely.

Channel 6 certainly does not replace the good programs on Channel 5, and, in any case, most of the programs on CHEK-TV can be seen far better on Channel 2.

Speaking as an invalid I think it is most unfair that I have not only to pay a TV service man to try to remedy this interference, but that I also cannot see the programs I like.

Apparently "progress" in Victoria means that the citizens of Victoria in future see fewer TV channels, than before this so-called progress hit our city.

SHUT-IN.

Healthy Fun

It has been my good fortune lately, to spend many enjoyable evenings at the Victoria Roller Rink and besides the good management of the rink, I don't think that I have had the pleasure of seeing a cleaner, neater, and better behaved crowd of youngsters, than those patronizing it.

I also think that if CHEK-TV is looking for a spot of local color for its program, that it might ask the Roller Skating Club to give an exhibition of the "Chorus Girl" which I know the public would enjoy.

JOHN HARVEY.

808 Blanshard Street.

'Let Both Stew'

On January 1 the railways received a boost in freight rates of 11 per cent on their original application for an overall increase of 15 per cent. Also the increase of 12 cents a ton on coal last June was to be boosted to 18 cents on January 1. These increases will yield approximately \$15,000,000 per year, which is a nice New Year's gift allowed by the transport commissioners.

Now, 28,000 employees have tied up a large part of our transportation system on an issue of keeping dummy fireman on certain diesel engines.

It is about time these powerful running trade unions revised their contracts in keeping with other individual employees—in regards to progress or automation.

This seems an opportune time for the public to show its disapproval of tactics by both railway management and their employees. They can do so by submitting to inconvenience as a result of a strike, or as "Winnie" would say, let both sides stew in their own juice.

PENSIONER.

which are in short supply—and this for special technical reasons having absolutely no connection with money supplies.

The plain fact, of course, is that prices of manufactured goods are rising without any regard to their adequacy to meet demand—simply because of the pressure of continually rising wages. For instance, in the case of farm equipment, last year prices were raised an average of about 8 per cent in the face of an almost complete cessation of buying by consumers or users, simply because of the increase in steel prices caused by the settlement of the steel strike in the U.S. And the price of milk has recently been raised in B.C., as we all know, simply because of increased cost of distribution, and not, certainly, on account of any shortage of milk.

Mr. Hutchison's test that is absolute and his thermometer that is infallible are both unfortunately completely wrong, but it seems obvious that Mr. Hutchison's misconceptions are shared by the Canadian money managers, and that, in my opinion, is most likely to prove exceedingly disconcerting to business in this country—to put it mildly.

Recently well known economists have expressed the opinion that possibly the entire money base and even the organization of the banking system—particularly in the U.S.A.—are possibly now inadequate to handle the physical volume of goods and services requisite to the present economy. This stage of thinking has not yet been reached at Ottawa, where they have not yet even discovered that the nigger in the wood pile is the everlasting upward trend of wages, due to the cast iron control of the economy which the unions have acquired.

As is being increasingly realized by everyone except the Canadian money managers, the present high interest rates are contributing substantially to the very difficulties which they are supposed to correct.

GEORGE WYNDLOW.

R.R.1, Ladysmith, B.C.

'Can Spring Be Far Behind?'

THE veteran in our office who has seen many winters — more winters than summers I believe — cautions against meteorological optimism at this time.

"Young man," he says, "I accept the flattering designation happily, 'it's too early yet to be thinking of spring. Let me tell you. It was February in 1916...' and away we go. Before you can say 'thermostat' we're neck deep in The Big Snow."

The veteran in our office could be completely justified in his pessimism. We could have intense cold and heavy snow before the daffodils thrust their spears through the ground.

But already random snowdrops have slipped quietly into bloom. The twig ends of red current show the tight-furled swellings of new leaf. Small, mysterious shoots are poking above the ground in our border-weeds, I'd guess — and a man's entitled to dream of softer days ahead.

ENCOURAGING VISION

It's about the most encouraging vision he can have at this season. It promises some exercise and relief from the firmly-packed layer of lard the Christmas season has stacked inside his waistband. And it gives him the opportunity, almost the compulsion, to draught his programs for the year ahead. There's lots to do.

If you live on the waterfront, you don't own a waterfront lot. It owns you. The sea giveth and the sea taketh away — most especially doth it take away boat slips, masonry and construction in general below high water.

Cliff Carl can explain that to you. He knows about the force of water. He'll tell you the strength of a two-foot wave compared to that of a one-foot wave and the multiplication is astonishing.

Actually there isn't too much satisfaction in knowing this scientific data as you watch the concrete you've poured some years ago gradually erode and crumble under the pound of seas piling in from the south-southeast, but it helps you to give the answers to the curious.

And it keeps you from developing the Ozymandias complex, or at least gives it a different twist. You can call on the mighty

to gaze on your works, but it's you who despair.

So in these grey days you watch the things you've spent a hunk of your life for broken and, mentally at least, stoop to build them up again with worn-out tools. Come spring, there's more concrete to be mixed and dumped on marine rocks carefully scoured with a quicklime wash beforehand. There's a slip to be renewed. There's work to be done to launch a small boat safely. There are supports to check on the boathouse. And then — as if the lady of the house would let you forget it — there's dirt to be turned in the garden.

Beyond that, there's work ahead at the lake where — Providence willing — a man may finally complete his digging through hardpan and start construction of a basement and a couple of lean-to rooms.

This is the time to think about it and plan. There is no agony in planning. You merely map out in your mind what you intend to do. That doesn't put kinks in your back, or aches in your arms and legs. It serves only to suggest that maybe the slight midriff discomfort of the present may diminish as the honest sweat pours from the pumping action of a shovel, digging excavations or mixing concrete.

JOYS OF SPRINGTIME

It is a time, too, for the anticipation of springtime's eternal enjoyments. The lake will echo to the song of returning birds. Squirrels will scold human intruders from the trees. At night the starshine will be garnished by the symphony of frogs. Footpaths will yield the soft comfort of pine-needle padding underfoot. Trees will stand in what the poet calls that "mist of green with nothing perfect." Trilliums will be scattered stars, white, pink and mauve, in their shade. Brook violets will bow their shy heads by marsh and stream.

On the water the trout will begin to rise and from the neglected cabins will come the friendly noise of occupants returning.

By the seashore a strengthening sun will splash fresh brightness on the waves. The gulls will renew their rowdy play. The bank will take on the tender green of the season, and the human heart will believe with Browning that "all's right with the world."

Now's the time to think about it all. Come spring you won't notice the sights for the sweat running into your eyes as you bend over a shovel. You won't hear anything but a ringing in the ears as an unaccustomed body returns to infrequent labor.

YOUR HEALTH

By DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ

Neglect of the Mentally Ill

Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

I keep getting letters from persons who say, "I wish you would quit harping on mental troubles and heredity. My family is shot full of insanity, alcoholism and epilepsy, and so I just don't want to hear a word about such troubles. Talk about muscular dystrophy, and multiple sclerosis if you want to, but leave mental disease alone."

As Mike Gorman of the National Mental Health Committee of Washington, D.C., said the other day, this is the attitude of most laymen, and I am ashamed to say, of most physicians today. None of us want anything to do with the greatest medical problem that faces the country. I can practice 10 years without seeing a case of muscular dystrophy or multiple sclerosis, but every day I see men and women who are mentally upset and in need of psychiatric help. As Mr. Gorman pointed out so forcibly, every other hospital bed in the land is occupied by an insane person, and for every mentally disturbed patient in a hospital there are 20 outside — many of them a terrible problem to their relatives.

Every week a number of mothers with a mentally disturbed son ask me what to do. The lad is not insane enough, or insane all the time, to be committed; but he is unemployable; perhaps he is travelling about, charging things to his parents and rapidly using up their meagre savings. What can the mother do? To whom can she appeal? How can she get her son into a mental hospital when he sees no need for treatment? Where can she find a psychiatrist willing to struggle with the problem of a hostile and impecunious man who will not admit that he is ill? I am sorry to say I do not know the answers.

Let us say that we talk the lad into going to the nearest provincial or state hospital. Will he be happy there? No. He may well be so upset by the conditions in an antiquated and badly over-crowded institution that he will be worse. As Mr. Gorman says, the conditions in many of our state hospitals are a disgrace to our civilization.



Dr. Alvarez

Will the man get good treatment? He may or he may not, depending on the generosity or the niggardiness of the legislature in that particular province. As my good friend, the medical superintendent of the mental hospital in a poor state used to say to me, sadly, "How can I do anything for my patients when there are several hundred of them and I have only one assistant?"

And if the lad goes into a hospital and comes out well — will he be able to find a job? Read Mrs. Hackett's book "The Cliff's Edge" (McGraw Hill) and learn that the man who has just been discharged from a mental hospital cannot get a job even as a laborer — no one will have him. Thank God for the few kind men who today are trying to combat this situation!

A while ago the father of a criminally psychotic boy wrote me: "No one will take him until he kills some child, and this I expect him to do any day."

Mr. Gorman keeps pointing out that U.S. laws and methods for handling the mentally disturbed are antiquated. But Canada has shown that many disturbed persons can be taken care of in either "day" or "night" hospitals. The man may be in a hospital during the day, getting treatment, and at night he returns to his home. Or he works all day and stays in the hospital at night.

If many general hospitals had a division in which disturbed persons could be helped, these persons would not get the terrible stigma of having been in an "insane asylum." As I see it, there is a tremendous need for part-pay centres to which puzzled relatives of a mentally upset person could go for information and for advice as to the best way to handle and care for their loved one. Perhaps there could be persons — not policemen with a police wagon — but kindly, well-trained men who could come to a home in an ordinary car and try to talk the patient into going with them for a few weeks of expert treatment in one wing of a general hospital.

As Mr. Gorman says, this terrible problem cannot be solved until the public and the medical profession take some interest in it. So far we doctors have paid no attention to the situation; we have never visited mental hospitals, and, like most people, we have not wanted even to hear a word about the care of the mentally upset.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1957 4.6 hrs.
Last year 3.5 hrs.
Precip. to date09 ins.
Last year48 ins.

SYNOPSIS — There is occasional light snow throughout the interior and temperatures will remain below freezing in most areas through the day.

Along the coast there is patchy cloud but there will be sunny skies along the lower mainland. Temperatures will be a little cooler and there will be frost tonight.

There is a weak disturbance in the Gulf of Alaska which is expected to bring cloud and a few showers to the north coast on Saturday.

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9 A.M. FORECASTS
Valid until midnight Saturday.

Victoria: Cloudy with a few sunny intervals today and Saturday. A little cooler tonight. Wind occasionally north 15 otherwise light. Low tonight and high Saturday 35 and 45.

Vancouver: Mostly sunny today and Saturday becoming cloudy Saturday evening. A little cooler. Light winds occasionally northeast 15 in the

Fraser Valley: Low tonight and high Saturday at Vancouver 27 and 38.

Georgia Strait: Mostly cloudy with occasional very light showers today and Saturday. A little cooler tonight. Light winds. Low tonight and high Saturday at Nanaimo 30 and 38.

West Coast — Mostly sunny today and Saturday morning. Cloudy Saturday afternoon and evening. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low tonight and high Saturday at Estevan Point 35 and 42.

TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

ONE YEAR AGO

ACROSS CANADA

St. John's 15 23 .02
Halifax 10 14 .01
Montreal 12 18 .42
Ottawa 14 22 .35
Toronto 26 30 .02
Port Arthur 10 22 —
Winnipeg —10 15 .01
Regina —11 13 —
Saskatoon —1 15 trace
Lethbridge 2 23 —
Calgary 7 24 —
Edmonton 3 17 —
Camloops 20 33 .02
Penticton 30 35 .02
Vancouver 31 40 trace
Kimberley 23 30 trace

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BATTALION TO STAY LONGER?

QORs to Round Out Recruits' Training

By AB KENT

An expanded role for Second Battalion Queen's Own Rifles of Canada at Camp Gordon Head indicates the infantry unit will remain in Victoria at least another four months.

The battalion has been charged with final recruit training of new platoons from its Calgary depot of QORs, and with providing the same training facilities for recruit platoons from Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, Edmonton, until spring arrives at prairie training grounds.

Second Battalion, QORs, was expected to be stationed at Camp Gordon Head between 18 months and two years from the time it arrived in June, 1955.

Army headquarters has announced no change in these plans during that time, although speculation regarding a permanent move has been strong.

Commanding Officer Lt.-Col. R. F. MacKay said certain phases of recruit training which it is not possible to carry out in Alberta at this time of year have been handed over to the battalion in a continuing program until spring.

GOOD WEATHER

Training facilities in the Victoria area — at Camp Gordon Head, Albert Head, Fort Mary Hill, Heel's Range and other unspecified areas — are available the year round because of favorable weather.

First platoon of QOR recruits from Calgary is expected to arrive at Camp Gordon Head Saturday.

Calgarian Named To Langford, Colwood Parishes

Rev. John F. Page, assistant priest at St. Stephen's Church, Calgary, has been appointed rector of St. John's Church, Colwood, and St. Matthew's Church, Langford.

Mr. Page will arrive in March to take charge of the two parishes. He replaces Rev. H. J. Jones, who leaves later this month to become rector of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

Announcement of Mr. Page's appointment was made by Archbishop Harold E. Sexton.

Fine of \$300 For Bootlegger

A \$300 fine or the alternative of three months at hard labor was imposed in city police court Thursday on John Richard Lauder, 1460 Oliver, after he pleaded guilty to bootlegging.

A police constable testified he saw Lauder sell two bottles of whisky and three bottles of gin and three cases of beer.

Counsel said it was Lauder's first conviction. Lauder previously pleaded not guilty, then changed his plea today.

Monday. Battalion officers and NCOs will handle the training program. A platoon consists of about 30 men.

First PPLI platoon is due to arrive Saturday, accompanied by officers from Edmonton. On completing their final phase training, the men are posted to battalions as qualified infantrymen, and are replaced by new recruit platoons in training areas.

Normal courses for NCOs and riflemen resume at Gordon Head next week after the seasonal break. A driver-signals course for about 40 young riflemen starts Monday.

100 SPECIES

Winter Bird Count Stable, Say Watchers

The bird population wintering in Victoria and the Saanich peninsula appears to be holding its own, according to 15 members of the Victoria Natural History Society who conducted their annual census of bird species last weekend.

About 11,000 birds and close to 100 species — as many as last year — were counted by the bird watchers.

The bird count is undertaken each year by the society in conjunction with a nationwide check of birds taken for the department of natural resources in Ottawa. A similar bird count is taken in the United States.

CONSERVATION

J. O. Clay, one of Victoria's bird experts, explained that the count is taken mainly for conservation purposes.

"We only count what we see," he said. "There may be more birds, but the check gives us a good idea if there is any apparent decrease in certain species of birds."

The largest bird seen by the bird watchers was a bald eagle and the tiniest, the golden crown kinglet, a woodland bird which winters in large numbers in the Greater Victoria area.

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THIS SCREWBALL WORLD

Tobruk No Man-Scaring Tiger, Tobruk No Longer Tobruk Either

PLACENZA, Italy (AP)—Tobruk, the stay-at-home tiger, didn't see eye to eye with his cagemates. So they ate him.

Tobruk loyally remained in the cage and wouldn't join in a few months ago when other Togni circus tigers escaped through an unlocked door and went on a two-hour spree, scaring humans in Rome.

Only a few tufts of fur and tooth-marked bones remained of Tobruk.

Rabbit Lake chuckled Thursday at the double-takes of holiday motorists who looked in the picture window of his home. He had hung his Christmas tree from the ceiling, upside down.

TORONTO (CP)—A 16-year-

old-boy said in court Thursday he turned thief because all of his \$35 weekly salary went on credit buying and he did not have enough money left for food.

He testified he was making payments on an \$1,100 automobile and a \$300 television set.

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\$1 Million Loan For Canal Job?

Ottawa Holds Up Final Decision Until Further Word From UN

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada may loan the United Nations \$1,000,000 to help pay initial costs of clearing the Suez Canal, informants said today.

However, no final decision has yet been reached.

Canada, in common with other UN members, wants further information about arrangements for repayment of the loan.

It is estimated that the UN will need about \$10,000,000 to pay contractors initial costs for clearing sunken ships from the canal.

How the UN will finance total cost of the salvage operation, estimated at \$40,000,000, is still unsolved.

UN members may be assessed for this cost but there is some feeling here that Canada might object to helping to pay for a salvage operation in which it has no direct interest. Some observers say Canada may feel it is already doing enough in supplying troops, vehicles and an air transport squadron to the UN Emergency Force in Egypt.

CARRIES OWN TV

RCN's Latest Carrier Boasts New Features

OTTAWA (CP)—The new Canadian navy aircraft carrier Bonaventure, to be commissioned at Belfast, Northern Ireland, Jan. 17, will carry her own internal television.

This is only one of the new features of the 19,000-ton flat-top which will replace the Magnificent as the navy's capital ship. The Magnificent, on loan from Britain, is to be returned to the Royal Navy.

Other new features of the Bonaventure: an angled deck, to provide more room for take-offs and landings; a steam catapult which will fire a jet fighter plane into the air like a rifle bullet; a system of lights and mirrors designed to replace the batsman who now guides the pilot to a deck landing.

The carrier will be the first Canadian warship with closed-circuit television.

Cameras will be placed in the aircraft direction and operations rooms and receivers in key operational positions in the ship, such as on the bridge and in the pilots' room.

The cameras will be focussed on the plotting charts in the two rooms. These charts show movements of friendly and hostile ships and planes.

Television will prevent overcrowding in the aircraft direction and operations rooms and reduce the number of telephoned orders.

16,780 Lost Driver Licences In B.C. in '56

A total of 16,780 B.C. residents had their driver licences suspended in 1956 for traffic violations ranging from manslaughter to failing to appear for re-examination of driving ability.

Traffic deaths were the worst in 1956—309, as compared with 225 deaths in 1955, according to a report of the B.C. motor-vehicle branch.

A breakdown of the suspensions reveals that 9,956 drivers lost their licences from periods ranging from one month to a year on the order of magistrates.

AUTOMATIC—In addition, 1,738 were suspended automatically for such offences as manslaughter and impaired driving.

Another 2,009 were suspended after their records had been checked by motor-vehicle branch officials.

Finally, 3,137 failed to pass examinations or failed to appear when asked to come in for re-examination.

UN Hungarian Appeal Short of Objective

GENEVA (Reuters)—A United Nations appeal for \$10,000,000 to aid Hungarian refugees in Austria, launched Nov. 30, has so far produced only \$4,400,000 from governments, it was disclosed here Thursday.

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ACROSS B.C.

Gagliardi Sees Big Year for Road Projects

From CP Dispatches

VANCOUVER—Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi looks to a prosperous New Year for B.C. road builders and heavy construction firms.

"This coming year we expect you will have just as much work as last year, maybe a little bit more," he told the Heavy Construction Association of B.C. here Thursday.

"This will mean contracts totalling more than \$80,000,000," he said.

The contracts will be for work on highway and bridge projects during the 1957-58 fiscal year.

"We have got to continue at our present pace, if not increase it."

He said the biggest obstacle facing the highways department and the construction industry is "a shortage of materials and equipment."

"Last year, we had to extend construction schedules on some projects because we couldn't get the supplies."

EX-CNR DOCTOR DIES—Dr. Thomas O'Hagan, 80, long-time resident of Jasper, Alta., died here while visiting relatives.

Funeral services will be held at Jasper Monday.

Dr. O'Hagan retired in 1954 after serving as resident physician for Canadian National Railways at Jasper since 1924.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Keith Owens of Point Claire, Que., and one son, Howard, of Victoria.

SENIORS' PROJECT REJECTED—Vancouver—The federal and provincial governments will not help to finance a low-cost housing project in Vancouver exclusively for old people, city council learned Thursday.

In a letter to the city's administration board, deputy provincial minister of finance J. V. Fisher said:

"Both the government of Canada and the government of this province feel that the city's scheme should definitely be a composite one."

Council decided to make one last attempt for an "all-senior citizens project." This would require a change in the National Housing Act.

AIRPORT SALE URGED—Vancouver—Defence Minister Ralph Campney urged Vancouver Thursday to sell its international airport to the federal government.

"Vancouver airport is one of the world's great international fields. It will require millions to bring it up to date and keep it modernized," he told the city's board of administration.

"I don't want to see these things held up because the expenditures are beyond Vancouver's resources."

ANTI-RABIES SHOTS—Vancouver—Two boys, severely mauled by dogs, were given anti-rabies injections in hospital here Thursday.

Victims of the separate attacks Wednesday were Wayne Spankie, 5, and Ronald Rickaby, 7. They suffered deep lacerations on arms, shoulders and legs and are expected to remain in hospital for "at least two weeks."

T. R. Spankie, father of one of the youngsters, said he will have a veterinarian examine the dogs for rabies.

One of three dogs which attacked Wayne has been captured.

CRUSHED TO DEATH—OLIVER—Malcolm Logan, 23, was crushed to death Thursday when the tractor he was operating overturned nine miles north of here while skidding logs. He is survived by a widow and two children.

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Water Main Contract For Chemainus Firm—CHEMAINUS—The local contracting firm of Beggs Bros. has been awarded a contract by B.C. Power Commission for the laying of 12, eight and six-inch mains for the Bare Point power plant's water line.

The mains will be laid from the old chlorinator to Bare Point. Work will commence as soon as bands, valves, and fittings arrive, and is to be completed by the end of April.

DEEP-SEA SHIPS IN PORT—Victoria (Ozden Point)—Margaretta, Arizona.

Tahsis—Enkel Maru. Alberni—Cape Sable, Hasting, Halcyon, Waltemo.

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ISLAND DIGEST

Victoria Daily Times FRIDAY, JAN. 4, 1957 7

New Home for Polio Victim Nearly Completed by Friends

ALBERNI—Volunteer workers and friends have nearly finished construction of a home at McCoy Lake, Great Central Road, for Colin S. Wilson, a polio victim.

Soon after being stricken he started a sales agency, taking orders by telephone, and now has a thriving business. He also has recovered partial use of his hands, and is able to move about on crutches.

14 ACRES—Mr. Wilson has supervised the work on the home, built under the VLA on 14 acres of land. Tradesmen and a local contractor assisted in the building, and only painting, some tile work, and plumbing remains to be finished.

Two Camps Shut Down As Log Dump Repaired—CHEMAINUS—Both the Nanaimo River and Copper Canyon logging operations of MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd. will be shut down for about a month until repairs to the Chemainus log dump have been made.

He and his wife plan to build a drive-in coffee bar on the property where it faces the road.

Fire Destroys Schoolmaster's Shawnigan Home

SHAWNIGAN LAKE—Fire of undetermined origin Thursday destroyed the six-room home of Mr. and Mrs. George Knighton on Renfrew Road while the owners and their children were visiting in Victoria.

It was noticed at 1.30 p.m., but by the time volunteer firemen had arrived the roof had collapsed and nothing could be saved.

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2 Men Charged With Posing As Policemen

Searched for Liquor In Car, Says Couple

ALBERNI—Two young men will face charges of impersonating peace officers following complaint from a young couple that their car was searched by men claiming to be patrolmen.

No names have been disclosed by Alberni RCMP, but it is understood that both men are employed at Crofton.

Complaint was first made to RCMP on New Year's Eve, when two friends of an RCMP constable reported the men had approached their car and ordered them out while they searched for liquor.

TO HEADQUARTERS

The young man declined, saying he would drive to headquarters and have his car searched there.


Both men then left, but were spotted later at the scene of an accident and were pointed out to the constable investigating. Two chauffeur-type caps were found in their car.

Bail Set at \$1,000 For Robbery Suspects

COURTENAY—Five men charged with robbery with violence of an elderly Chinese in Cumberland Christmas Eve were remanded without plea this week to Jan. 11.

Bail was set at \$1,000 each. They are M. Woolridge, Courtenay; Larry Sinclair, Cumberland; John Pielke, Comox Indian

Reserve; and Jacob Friesen and Thomas Ginter, Black Creek. Victim of the Christmas Eve attack was Wong Ng Bong, elderly Cumberland Chinese. Also injured at the time was Thomas Wong, a UBC student who had gone to the aid of the older man. Sinclair was charged Dec. 27 with assaulting Wong, and released on \$500 bail.



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One Victoria and District Football League match is carded Saturday at Reynolds Road Park, where Brodies Bakery takes on Esquimalt.

Two games are scheduled Sunday. Tillicums and Canadian Scottish play a first-round Jackson Cup match at Beacon Hill Park and Gorge Hotel faces Heaneys in a league tussle at Central Park.

All games start at 2 p.m.



WHAT'S THE SCORE?

BY

Denny Boyd

Quite recently, the New York Rangers and the Detroit Red Wings were embroiled in a hot and heavy hockey game in Detroit.

It was during the holiday period and quite a number of the fans were exhibiting holiday spirit.

At a critical point in the game, the players and patrons alike were astonished to the point of frozen immobility when a fat and jumpy three-foot eel plopped wetly on the ice and lay in a heap of loose coils.

Some fans, who must have had the eel market cornered, had tossed the eel, or Anguilla Rostrata, to be exact, on the ice in high celebration of a goal scored by Earl "Dutch" Reibel, former Edmonton Flyer star.

The eel got far more attention than Reibel, and was the talk of the arena for the rest of the game.

But Marcel Pronovost, who was approached to offer a professional comment on the eel, took it all in laconic indifference. Marcel is employed as a fishing guide in the off-season.

Pronovost merely said, "A nice looking eel, but I'm not partial to eels... they're too fat."

Still, Pronovost did offer some advice to anyone who ever has an eel thrown at them:

"Stew them first to eliminate the oil, then braise them."

Quality of Litter a Point of Pride

The tossing of strange creatures onto ice surfaces has come to popularity in recent years and it is sometimes a matter of home-town pride that the litter heaved on one ice surface is much more provocative than that of a neighboring ice emporium.

For instance, how would you like to be a forward, flying down the boards in possession of the puck, only to be met at the blue-line by an octopus? Shattering but true.

It happens frequently in Detroit. So frequently, in fact, that the fans scarcely turn their heads when an octopus cadavre hits the ice with a wet squishing of arms.

Local fans will remember back a few years ago when a referee named Dick Davis was just about as popular as small-pox with local fans, who used to sit in judgment of referees like a murder jury.

Davis was committing himself upon the crowd during a game when the whole thing became too much for one fan, who threw the carcass of a deceased duck on the ice.

And, as you might have guessed already, the papers the next day trumpeted with high glee that Davis had got the bird.

Garbage, Gas, But Nary an Octopus

Possibly the fans who jam the Montreal Forum are too rigidly to throw anything that looks good enough to eat.

At any rate, there is no record of beast, mammal or fitter being tossed on Montreal ice. Of course there have been rocks, bottles, false teeth, garbage and teargas bombs, but nary an octopus.

The Montreal fans have one cunning little trick that is all theirs.

When the fans find time hanging heavily on their hands, they heat pennies with matches and toss them on the ice. The heated coppers stick to the ice and the player unlucky enough to skate over one usually goes butt over apex.

Of course, the home town Canadiens trip over the pennies as often as do the visiting players.

But, as Montrealers admit, C'est la vie.

Another patented Montreal stunt is the casting of galoshes.

Montrealers apparently never go to the Forum without first donning a pair of rubbers. These keep the feet dry, but that is only a secondary consideration.

When 16,000 Montreal fans get mad and start throwing their rubbers on the ice (and they can hit a linesman with a galosh at 50 paces) the effect is awesome.

ROYALS TOPPLE LEADERS

Senators Tumble To First Defeat

Senators, riding high on the crest of a nine-game undefeated skid, crashed to their first defeat of the season at Memorial Arena Thursday as Royals handed the leaders of the Greater Victoria Minor Hockey Association's bantam division a 4-1 licking.

Don Wiggins, Keith Robertson, Dick Munn and Simon Whitford fired the Royals' goals while Barry Forsyth picked up Senators' lone tally.

In Thursday's other bantam division tussle, Capitals walloped Maroons, 6-2, as Mike Woodley set the scoring pace with three goals. Ernie Yaka-movich scored twice and Warren Lowe once for Capitals while Don Prior and Phil Wade shared scoring honors for Maroons.

Two midjet division games were also played at Memorial Arena Thursday. Cougars defeated Canucks, 9-4, and Royals ripped Americans, 3-2.

Team	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Senators	10	9	1	0	48	17	18
Capitals	10	8	3	1	59	45	17
Royals	10	7	3	0	41	48	14
Maroons	10	1	9	0	25	54	2

Team	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Royals	10	8	2	0	41	33	16
Cougars	9	5	3	1	46	27	11
Americans	10	1	9	0	25	54	2

RANGERS MUST PUT OUT FOR TV CAMERAS

Watson Waves Warning Whip

NEW YORK (UP)—Phil Watson, the New York Rangers' fire-breathing coach, has taken out his whip again in an effort to arouse his players for Saturday afternoon's first nationally televised hockey game with the Chicago Black Hawks at Madison Square Garden.

Infuriated by the Rangers' erratic play in recent weeks, Watson warned his men that "the whip is out."

And although fiery Phil isn't likely to flog his players in full view of the TV cameras, he is ready to start levying \$25 fines "if some of my guys don't put out 100 per cent against the Black Hawks."

The outspoken Ranger coach singled out three players with whom he has been

most dissatisfied in recent games—centre Dave Creighton, left wing Dean Prentice and defenceman Harry Howell.

"Creighton hasn't scored a goal in his last 13 games and has only three goals in 35," Watson barked. "Well, brother, this is a warning to Mr. Creighton. He'd better get rolling or else."

"Prentice has picked up a couple of goals recently but he, too, hasn't been coming through the way he should. And as for Howell, he's our team captain but he hasn't been setting the right example for the other players."

Watson went on to point out that in Howell's case players now shift their attack in the middle of a play in order to carry into Howell's area



THAT'S USING YOUR HEAD, GENE

Gene Fullmer, right, comes in head first at Ray Robinson during one of his frequent charges Wednesday in the middleweight championship fight at

Madison Square Garden. Fullmer, the challenger from West Jordan, Utah, won a unanimous decision to take the title away from the aging Robinson.

Ray, Gene May Encore In March

Robinson Camp Issues Refereeing Protest

NEW YORK (AP)—A Gene Fullmer-Sugar Ray Robinson rematch in March appeared likely, pending a decision today by the 36-year-old former champ and his retinue of co-managers and advisers.

Fullmer, winner of a unanimous decision in Wednesday night's Madison Square Garden fight, appeared at the offices of the International Boxing Club Thursday ready to give Sugar Ray another chance "any time."

Marv Jensen, his manager, told promoter Jim Norris, "all we're interested in is—get us the most money you can."

Norris said he would like to promote the fight in New York if the same sort of local television blackout could be worked out.

Robinson, didn't appear for a scheduled press conference. George Gainford, his "chief adviser," said over the telephone that he wanted a rematch at the earliest date Fullmer is ready.

Ernie Braca, one of Robinson's co-managers, said a final decision would be reached at a meeting between the ex-champ and his board of strategy and the decision would be announced today.

If Fullmer wants all the money he can get, he can't be blamed. The durable apprentice welder from West Jordan, Utah, received \$20,915.40 as his 12½ per cent share of the net gate.

A gross of \$184,645.20 was paid by spectators to see the fight. Robinson's 47½ per cent, plus \$60,000 of the television money, gave him \$138,190.11. Fullmer got none of the TV cash.

EVEN SPLIT NEXT TIME

The return bout contracts call for an even split, 30 per cent each of the gate and TV.

The Robinson camp also issued new charges of "illegal punching" by Fullmer and voiced bitter criticism of the way referee Ruby Goldstein handled the fight.

Gainford claimed Fullmer hit low, dropped Robinson for a six-count in the seventh round with a "half butt and push," used rabbit punches and rubbed the faces of his glove against Robinson's face.

Fullmer denied the charges, explaining he hit Robinson around the head and body with his free right hand in the clinches "because Robinson was holding me." He said most of the punches hit Ray on the ear, not behind the neck as in an illegal rabbit punch.

NO WORRY HERE

REGINA (CP)—The Saskatchewan Junior Hockey League will not, in any way, be affected by the current strike involving the Canadian Pacific Railway. All but one of the six teams travel by automobile.



THROUGH THE ROPES goes middleweight champion Sugar Ray Robinson in the sixth round of his 15-round title scrap with challenger Gene Fullmer. Fullmer's blow felled Robinson for the count of six. NEA Photos.)

Top Curlers Set To Tackle Scots

A cross section of some of the best curlers on Vancouver Island has been chosen to meet the touring Scottish curlers next Wednesday in the Canada-Scotland Strathcona Cup matches at Victoria Curling Club.

List of personnel of the five rinks chosen was released on Thursday. A sixth rink also was chosen for a probable friendly game at the time of the cup matches.

14 VICTORIANS

Fourteen of the 20 chosen are Victorians. The Port Alberni, Duncan and Nanaimo curling clubs each were invited to send two members, while one each came from the Civil Service League at VCC and the RCN Curling Club.

First rink will be composed of VCC honorary life members Max Zabel skip; Gerry Lauder, third; Mark Trueman, second, and Bill Hyde, lead.

Other rinks, with skip, third, second and lead in that order, follow: Gar Taylor, Dr. Kirby Moysey, George Tucker, Pete Lovric.

Gordie Robertson, Bob McIntosh, Don Jamieson, Harry Croil, all from VCC.

Bob Fuller, Nanaimo; Warren Paul, Port Alberni; Bryce Blake, Port Alberni; W. McLean, Nanaimo.

Ron Harper, Duncan; Morley McDonald, Civil Service; Lieut. W. Hibbert, RCN; John Pye, Duncan.

Harold Ilove, Ivan Shillington, Bill Yardley and John McKay are members of the sixth rink. Curling will start at 8 p.m. The Scots will arrive Wednesday morning and will probably attend a Government House reception; make a tour of the city, including the B.C. Forest Products' plywood division and City, Hall, and attend another reception and banquet at VCC.

Victoria is the fourth city on the Scots' cross-Canada itinerary. They play in Montreal, Saskatoon and Edmonton on the way west. From Victoria, they travel to Penticton, Calgary, Medicine Hat, Regina, Winnipeg, Port William, Sudbury, Haliburton, Toronto, Hamilton, Ottawa, Moncton, Dartmouth and Halifax.

NINTH MATCH

This is the ninth international Strathcona Cup series between the two countries, dating back to 1909. Score stands at four matches each, with the Scots winning the last two, in Canada in 1949 and in Scotland in 1950. Tickets are now on sale at VCC for Wednesday's games.

Hall-of-Famer Waner Ill With Pneumonia

SARASOTA, Fla. (UP)—Paul (Big Poison) Waner, a member of baseball's Hall of Fame, was seriously ill today in a hospital with an attack of pneumonia.

The 53-year-old former Pittsburgh Pirates' star outfielder, stricken Sunday night at his home, was being kept in an oxygen tent most of the time.

Mrs. Waner disclosed her husband's illness last night saying, "Paul is very sick and is far from out of danger."

SPORTS MENU

TONIGHT

8:30—Memorial Arena, Winnipeg Warriors vs. Victoria Cougars, Western Hockey League.

SOCCER

2:00—Royal Athletic Park, Punjab United vs. Butler Brothers, first round Jackson Cup match.

2:00—Reynolds Road Park, Brodies Bakery vs. Esquimalt, Victoria and District Football League.

RUGBY

2:30—Macdonald Park, JBAA vs. Drakes, first division, Victoria Rugby Union.

Drifting Chihawks Navigation Hazard

Hold Habs To 3-3 Tie; Rollins Stars

By The Canadian Press

They're not going anywhere in the National Hockey League themselves, but Chicago Black Hawks have a great time messing up the hopes of the top three teams.

The last-place Hawks have collected only 21 points in 37 games so far this year and are almost hopelessly behind the pack, but 13 of those points have come against the big three—Detroit Red Wings, Boston Bruins and Montreal Canadiens.

Thursday night it was Canadiens' turn. They skated out before 13,880 fans in Montreal Forum, confident of a win which would have put them one point back of the second-place Bruins; they skated off an hour later, thankful for a 3-3 tie.

CREDIT TO GOALIE

As usual when the Hawks win or tie—and they have made five of their eight wins and three of their five ties over the top three—it was Al Rollins, their lanky, 30-year-old net-minder, who deserved most of the credit.

Rollins made 36 saves to salvage the game. At the other end of the ice, Jacques Plante had only 20 shots to handle.

Canadiens were led by Maurice Richard, the old master, who scored two goals, his 13th and 14th of the season. Don Marshall scored the other. Harry Watson, Hank Ciesla and Jack McIntyre counted for Chicago.

EARLY LEAD

The Hawks surprised even themselves by taking a 2-0 lead in the first period on goals by Ciesla and McIntyre. But all their tight checking and Rollins' fine work couldn't stave off the Habitués, who plunked in three in the second but lost the lead when Watson scored at 17:35 of the same period.

Saturday afternoon Chicago is in New York against the Rangers, for the first of 10 NHL games to be broadcast coast-to-coast on a United States television network. If voluble Phil Watson, Rangers' coach, has his way, they will meet a fired-up team.

Thursday Watson publicly castigated his whole team—and particularly centre Dave Creighton, winger Dean Prentice and rearguard Harry Howell—for "indifferent" play.

Watson said the three "have the ability but not the spirit."

NHL SUMMARY

Team	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pts
Detroit	35	20	8	7	103	74	47
Boston	34	20	10	4	101	87	44
Montreal	37	19	12	6	116	80	44
New York	35	11	17	7	74	104	29
Chicago	36	11	18	7	84	95	29
Pittsburgh	37	8	24	5	74	112	21

MONTREAL 3, CHICAGO 3

1. Chicago, Ciesla (Litzenberg), Wil-son 4:22.

2. Chicago, McIntyre (Skov) 17:52.

Penalties: Kennedy 3:18, Geoffrion 3:18, Plante 8:13, Leclair 11:05, St. Laurent 13:45.

SECOND PERIOD

1. Montreal, Marshall 4:22.

4. Montreal, M. Richard (H. Richard, Harvey) 11:40.

5. Montreal, M. Richard (Geoffrion, Harvey) 17:15.

Penalties: Johnson 2:34, Plante 5:04, Harvey 9:12, Morrison 10:25, 11:57, Talbot 18:32, McIntyre 18:52.

THIRD PERIOD

Scoring: None.

Penalties: Plante 8:54, Olmstead 8:54.

Shots: Rollins 11 13 12-36

Plante 8 13 12-33

LOS ANGELES—KM Centella, 1960, No. 100,000, dropped Art Rampart, 195, Oxnard, Calif. 5.

SPORTS

DENNY BOYD—Sports Editor

8 Victoria Daily Times FRIDAY, JAN. 4, 1957

BRUINS' LYNN PATRICK ARRIVES HERE SUNDAY

Lynn Patrick, general manager of the Boston Bruins, parent club of the WHL Victoria-Cougars, will arrive in town Sunday at 5 p.m.

Patrick will remain in Victoria for a week or 10 days and will have a look at all Cougar games within that period.

Patrick, whose Bruins currently are fighting for first place with Detroit in the NHL, will delve into the problems besetting the Cougars, who are last in the WHL's coast division.

WARRIORS ON REBOUND

Cougars Can't Neglect 'Peg

Victoria Cougars won't be letting the Winnipeg Warriors go to their heads tonight at Memorial Arena.

Away back on Nov. 5 the Warriors made their first Western Hockey League visit of the season to Victoria and were struck down, 9-2, in one of the worst beatings ever administered in Memorial Arena.

But the Cougars, felled by a recent rash of injuries, don't figure to be that good again tonight and the Warriors, just breaking out of a 14-game losing streak, don't figure to be that bad.

LATEST INJURY

Defenceman Lionel Heinrich once again was the latest addition to the injury roster Thursday. Heinrich, who has already missed a few games this season with a bad back, stopped a shift with his hand in practice Thursday and may be on the shelf tonight. Final decision will be made before game time.

Still out is centreman Ray Powell with a broken arm, while coach Colin Kilburn will take his regular turn despite a bad knee, which he reports as progressing "satisfactorily."

Defenceman Nelson Bulloch, however, is scheduled to play tonight for the first time since breaking his jaw Nov. 23. He will play in a specially-constructed plastic mask across his face, and will see limited action.

Injuries have forced Kilburn to shuffle his lineup once more. Gordie Haworth will centre Bruce Carmichael and George Ranieri on one line, while Don Chiupka will be between Wayne Brown and either Ray Partridge or Larry Leach. The Kilburn-Doug, Anderson-Doug, Mac-auley unit will be intact.

Other defencemen in front of goalie Marcel Pelletier are Arnot Whitney, Bill Dobbey and Bill Davidson.

ON REBOUND

Warriors figure to be tough. They started off the new year right Wednesday with a 4-2 win over Calgary on their way west, their second victory since breaking that streak Dec. 28, and could be on the rebound back up the prairie division ladder.

Cougars are still five points behind the third-place New Westminster Royals in the coast division standings, and



LIONEL HEINRICH
... injured again

must win this one to keep up with coach Hal Laycoe's hard-charging crew. Royals, who have won the first two games of their current prairie tour, meet the Flyers in Edmonton tonight. Seattle plays at Vancouver in the other coast division game.

Meanwhile, back at Memorial Arena, game time is 8:30 tonight.

Rugby Match Set Saturday

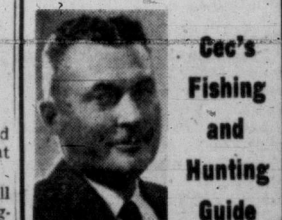
JBAA will be aiming to slice two points off Oak Bay Wanderers' lead in the first division of the Victoria Rugby Union when they clash with Drakes at Macdonald Park Saturday afternoon.

Oak Bay has seven points from three wins and a draw while the Oarsmen are four points back with a win and a tie in their two starts. Drakes, who defaulted their only scheduled match, and Navy, a three-time loser, are still winless.

Saturday's JBAA-Drakes clash starts at 2:30.

SUDDS GET BLACK

CINCINNATI (AP)—Cincinnati Redlegs today announced sale of pitcher Joe Black to Seattle of the Pacific Coast League.



Cowichan River and West Coast rivers all producing lots of steelhead. Grilse still plentiful in Saanich Arm.

Cec Fletcher's Men's Shop 755 YATES

Courses Start Soon For Trout Fishermen

Anglers will start adding to their store of piscatorial knowledge this month when two night school classes for fishermen get under way.

Another of the popular fly-tying courses will start in the Victoria night school classes at Central Junior High School Jan. 9 at 7 p.m.

Conducted by Roy Jackson, the 10-week course will deal with many aspects of fly fishing, including the use and tying of bucktails, and will present several guest speakers.

Trout anglers may find the new course at the spring classes at Victoria College an interesting one.

Under instructor Tony Bristowe, the 12-week course—"Fly-Fishing for Trout: Today and Tomorrow"—will cover many

LITTLE & TAYLOR Sports Calendar

SATURDAY, JAN. 5

SOCCER—2:00 p.m.—Jackson Cup Competition, Punjab United vs. Butler Brothers, Royal Athletic Park.

2:00 p.m.—Victoria and District Football League, Brodies Bakery vs. Esquimalt, Reynolds Road Park.

RUGBY—2:30 p.m.—Victoria Rugby Union, Drakes vs. JBAA, Macdonald Park.

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ONE QUALITY—THE BEST

WESTERN PROFESSIONAL LEAGUE

Game No. 18

HOCKEY 8:30 p.m.

TONIGHT

MEMORIAL ARENA

VICTORIA COUGARS VS. WINNIPEG WARRIORS

Tickets on sale, Cougars' Ticket Bureau, 817 Port St. and Hudson's Bay Co. Ticket Office. Prices: Adults \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00; Children 50¢, 75¢, 1.00. Arena Box Office Opens 7:30 p.m. night of game. For information phone 3-2522.

Grant New Bomber Pilot

WINNIPEG (CP)—Winnipeg Blue Bombers dug into their own roster Thursday night and came up with their coach for the 1957 Western Interprovincial Football Union season.

Signed to a one-year contract was Harry Peter "Bud" Grant, 29-year-old end with the club for the last four seasons. A dark horse in the coaching race until his name leaked out a few weeks ago, Grant follows such greats as Frankie Filchock, Les Lear and Annis Skutumpah in coming out of playing ranks in top Canadian football to take over as a coach.

In making the announcement at a press conference on Thursday night, Bomber

President J. T. Russell said the assistant coach or coaches would be named later.

Grant, picked over 13 other applicants, will retire from active competition to take over the coaching job, left vacant when Bombers failed to take up the option of Al Sherman, who guided the club for the last three seasons.

Salary terms were not revealed. Born and raised in Superior, Wis., Grant played college football at the University of Minnesota before turning professional with Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League in 1951. After two seasons with the Eagles, Grant joined Bombers in 1953 and led all

WIFU pass receivers in 1953, 1954, and 1956 and finished third in this category in 1955.

During the 1956 season, Grant caught 63 of 79 passes for 970 yards—all three figures a record. He was the leading scorer in the 1956 East-West Shrine game at Vancouver, Dec. 8, with two touchdowns as the West won 35-0. He was named to the 1956 WIFU all-stars for the third time in four seasons.

An outstanding basketball player, Grant once starred with the Minneapolis Lakers pro team.

Ralph Parliament, chairman of the Bombers' management committee, said Grant met most of the requirements set down as the coaching

committee screened applications, which were cut down to four in the last analysis.

Parliament said the committee which was unanimous in its recommendation considered Grant tops in character, and as a leader. He is "well liked" by the players but can be "tough and firm," and has a "good knowledge of the Canadian game, our Canadian boys and knows what he is up against in the other teams in the league."

Parliament said the Bombers also were looking for a coach of good stature, one who would stand out in the dressing room or on the bench. Grant, who stands six feet, 2½ inches, easily filled that requirement.



"I'm all right, thanks, but I'm concerned about Mellich. I'm standing on his shoulders!"

RACE RESULTS

SANTA ANITA

First Race—\$4,000, maiden 2-year-olds, three furlongs: One, O Three (Glasgow) \$6.80 \$4.60 \$3.40; Billy's Secret (Mores) \$4.80 \$3.20 \$2.20; Amanda Lea (Naves) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Also: Glorious Nymph, Miss California, Alcorpsa, Royal Nurse, Beanie Queen, Billy Drake, Half-Six, Cradle Time, Magna Vista, F. Susie Sharon, F. Miss.

Second Race—\$4,000, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Sir Paniel (Tanguchi) \$16.20 \$8.40 \$3.80; Sweet As Pie (York) \$5.50 \$3.80 \$2.20; Marked Arrow (Naves) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Time, 1:11.45. Also: Irish Captain, Witch's Whip, War Vote, Irish Captain, Down De Lane, Stars Return, Racuna, Rover Bull, F. Quail (Naves) \$5.00 \$3.50 \$2.20; Doshay (Longden) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Third Race—\$4,000, maiden 2-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Quail (Naves) \$5.00 \$3.50 \$2.20; Doshay (Longden) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Fourth Race—\$4,000, claiming, 4-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Mr. Dick (Voice) \$6.00 \$3.70 \$2.20; Quail (Naves) \$5.00 \$3.50 \$2.20; Ze Pippin (Longden) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Time, 1:11.45. Also: Impressed, Major Fiddle, Flying Bolt, On It, Bodin.

Fifth Race—\$4,000, optional claiming, 4-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Plugs Boy (Hartman) \$44.80 \$13.60 \$3.40; Quail (Naves) \$5.00 \$3.50 \$2.20; Leas Sheila (Lewis) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Time, 1:11.45. Also: Impressed, Major Fiddle, Flying Bolt, On It, Bodin.

Sixth Race—\$4,000, allowance, 4-year-olds and up, six furlongs, six furlongs: Cover (Glasgow) \$12.10 \$7.40 \$4.90; Betty Rose (Dettich) \$5.70 \$4.40 \$3.20; A-Solid Rose (Longden) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Time, 1:13.55. Also: B-Yutta, Edie's Sister, Tremor, Duetta, Carmel, Gun Fly, A-Lovin' Love, Lavine, Stables entry.

Seventh Race—\$4,000, optional claiming, 4-year-olds and up, six furlongs: Casper Creek (Naves) \$10.80 \$6.20 \$4.10; Wire Line (Dettich) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20; Beverley (Valencia) \$3.20 \$2.20 \$1.20.

Time, 1:14.45. Also: Blaine Home, Scarlet Abbey, Good Start, Trace Road, Regular, Free Bird, Free Bird, Legal Heir, Vantage.

Three Top Jocks Corral Most Loot

ARCADIA, Calif. (AP)—Three of the top jockeys in the United States, Eddie Arcaro, Willie Shoemaker and Bill Hartack, rode horses that won more than \$2,000,000 in 1956. The jockeys' cut of 10 per cent indicates that this trio will pay healthy income taxes.

But they are the exception. There are 77 jockeys registered at Santa Anita but only 17 have been winners and by the time the winter meeting ends in March that number won't be increased appreciably. There were only 21 jockeys with winners at last year's Santa Anita meeting.

No terms were announced but it was believed the 24-year-old southpaw signed for the same salary he was to receive last year, an estimated \$15,000.

Podres, who has a chronic bad back was released from service last October because of his condition. He entered last March.

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Esks' Pockets Jingle Loudly

EDMONTON (CP)—Edmonton Eskimos, whose 1955 loss of \$10,800 was proof that you can lose money while winning the Grey Cup, in 1956 showed their largest profit in eight years of operation—a surplus of \$50,038.

Record attendance of more than 138,000 at Clarke Stadium, home of Canada's three-time national football champions, helped boost total income to \$521,465. Expenses totalled \$471,427 and with the resulting profit—seventh in eight years—the club's operating surplus jumped to a whopping \$124,338.

Treasurer Bruce Collins painted the rosy financial picture Thursday night in his final report to the club's annual meeting. He is retiring after three years as treasurer.

AGAINST 60-40 SPLIT

His report made several points: That Eskimos are against a 60-40 gate receipts split as proposed by some other Western Interprovincial Football Union clubs; that Eskimos' team salaries and traveling costs of \$353,936 indicate the club is the highest-paid in Canada; and that an increase of \$40,000 in the "casual gate" at league games made up most of the 1956 profit.

The meeting also heard the final report of President M. I. (Moe) Lieberman, who announced earlier that he would not accept nomination for a third term.

Successors to Lieberman and Collins will be chosen following the election of directors Monday night.

Lieberman said "we have a strong and efficient organization, the envy of every football club in Canada," and that "it is no secret that we are planning to field an even stronger team in 1957 by adding some new outstanding players to our roster." He mentioned no names.

An infected left hand in mid-August halted a record string of 424 consecutive games Banks played after joining the Cubans in the 1953 season from the Kansas City Monarchs.

The old major league record for games played after first breaking into a major league lineup was 394 set by Al Simmons, who joined the Philadelphia Athletics in 1924 and played without a break until 1926.

One is Mike Sandusky, a 21-year-old tackle with the University of Maryland. A 240-pounder who is also heavy-weight wrestling champion in the Atlantic Coast Athletic Conference, Sandusky was named to last year's second All-American team.

The other is Gerry Jaines, a husky unknown. He stands 6 feet 5 inches, weighs 230 pounds, and at present is stationed with the U.S. Army in Fort Hood, Tex. Details of his record were not available.

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NEW COACH NAMED
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Doug Peden OUTDOOR REPORT

Game birds and animals appear to be learning new tricks every year. Now it seems that hunters are also getting smarter.

With another hunting season all but finished, a decrease in shooting fatalities has been recorded in fields and forests across Canada and much of the credit may be due to lessons learned during safety campaigns conducted by some provinces.

Nine provinces report a total of 44 accidental deaths in the Canadian hunting season. Quebec has released no figures as yet, but the death toll there is expected to almost double the six fatalities recorded in 1955. The all-Canada total compares favorably with the 70 reported at the same stage a year ago.

Vancouver Island sportsmen have had a notably improved safety record this season with only four shooting accidents and no fatalities. They have also proved more adept at finding their way out of the woods. No hunters were reported missing for more than a few hours and no full-scale searches, common in other years, were needed.

Ontario, with 14, had the most hunting deaths, Alberta had eight and Saskatchewan five. British Columbia, slipping from three in 1955, and New Brunswick each had four. Manitoba and Prince Edward Island each had three fatalities, Nova Scotia had two and Newfoundland was charged with one.

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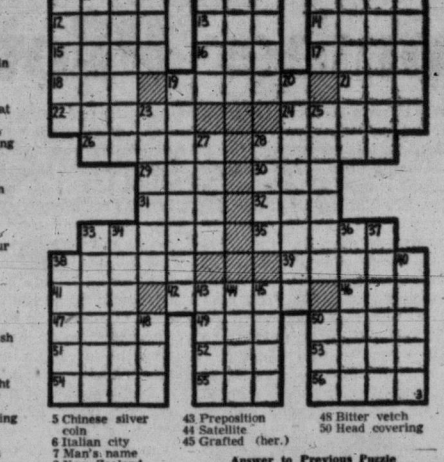


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By FREEMAN KING

Victoria District Notes—The next meeting of the "Green Plume" Court of Honor will be held on Jan. 10 at headquarters, 1034 Johnson Street. The main topic of discussion will be the first class journey and the new marking schedule.

A district preliminary training course for troop scouts for the district will be held Jan. 31, Feb. 2 and 3. The evening session on Jan. 31 will be held in district headquarters at 8 p.m. and the outdoor session, Saturday and Sunday, in the Metcalf area. Transportation will be provided for those attending. Members of group committees will be welcomed on the course.

The district commissioner would like to see Scouts of troops four and five get together and run a Bronze Arrowhead course for their patrol leaders.

Any scoutmaster interested should get in touch with district headquarters who will give any assistance.

Cricket-Playing Peer Gets Canberra Post

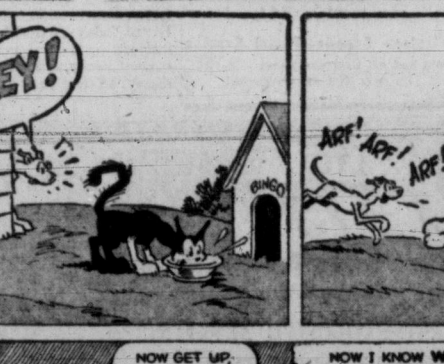
LONDON (Reuters)—The appointment of 47-year-old Viscount Cobham as governor-general of New Zealand was announced here Wednesday night. He succeeds Lt.-Gen. Sir Willoughby Norrie, 63.

Cobham is a widely known cricketer. He was the vice-captain of the Marylebone Cricket Club for its 1935-36 New Zealand tour and was president of the MCC last year.

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How Close Are the Planets

This year Mars came very close to the earth. For a while the red planet loomed large in the sky. Such a close visit happens only once in many years. Naturally we wonder what would happen if it came off course, came closer than its proper 30,000,000 miles or so and bumped right into our beautiful green earth. Then we wonder whether the other planets could possibly get into collisions. Is there plenty of space between them? The answer is, yes. There is plenty of space in the Solar System for all the planets. What's more, accidents are impossible, for each planet must keep to its own orbit.

Little Mercury is about 36,000,000 miles from the sun and its neighbor Venus is 67,000,000 miles from the sun. Our earth is over 93,000,000 miles and Mars is 141,000,000 miles from the sun. Giant Jupiter keeps its distance from the sun at 483,000,000 miles, Saturn at 886,000,000 miles, Uranus at 1,786,000,000 miles and Neptune at 2,793,000,000 miles. Sometimes little Pluto is the same distance from the sun as Neptune and at other times it is around 3,000,000,000 miles out in the cold.

You can see there is always plenty of space between the planets from these figures. But all these millions of miles are hard to grasp. We can get a better idea from a scaled down model of the sun and its planets. At certain times, travelling on children. Even such a model must be fairly big in order to give the proper proportion to all those millions of miles of empty space. To make it, we need a flat stretch of ground about three and a half miles long and three and a quarter miles wide.

We use a two-foot beach ball for the sun and the roles of the planets will be played by various items from the vegetable kingdom. The beach ball sun is, of course, in the middle and the planets are placed at various distances from it. Mercury is a grape seed at a distance of 82 feet. Venus is a smallish pea at 142 feet and the earth is a fatter pea at 327 feet from the sun.

The role of giant Jupiter is played by an orange at a distance of almost a quarter mile. Saturn, a smaller orange, is about two-fifths of a mile away. Uranus, played by a walnut, is three-quarters of a mile and Neptune shrunk to the size of an apricot, is a mile and a quarter from the beach ball sun. Pluto, played by another grape seed, is sometimes a mile and a quarter and sometimes a mile and half from the model sun.

Of course, the planets are never arranged in a straight line with the sun. They are forever travelling around their orbits. Some are on one side of the sun, some on the other. Two neighbors are far, far apart when they are travelling on opposite sides of the sun. They come as near as their orbits allow when one passes another on the same side of the sun.

When Mars is on the opposite side of the sun from the earth, it may be 234,000,000 miles away. At certain times, travelling on the same side of the sun with us as it did this year, its rather oval orbit may bring it within 35,000,000 miles. Venus may come still closer. Our golden planet neighbor sometimes comes within 26,000,000 miles of the earth.

SPCA Guest List

(A Times service for those seeking lost pets, and those wishing to acquire pets. Animals up for adoption at the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, 115 Wilton, can be secured for a nominal donation to the SPCA. Telephone 3-0314, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., for information.)

NEW ARRIVALS: Boston bull, two to three years old, found Hill side at Blackwood. Mickey needs running room. Of collie and airedale parentage is Tracie and the combination has worked out very well. One year old, female, excellent companion for kids. Black and brown cross collie, female, only three months old and hasn't even been named yet. Cross spaniel, black, male, three years old. Name's Rex, and would rather live in the country, please. Very understanding with children.

Nanaimo Fire Losses Lowest in 5 Years

NANAIMO (CP)—Fire losses were held to a five-year low in Nanaimo during 1956. Damage totaled \$15,200 in 1956, the lowest since 1951 when the figure was less than \$15,000.



Hollywood Actors Cancel Scheduled City Appearances

Because of prior bookings, actor Vincent Price and actress Judith Anderson will not be able to appear in Victoria this season as planned. Famous Artists in Vancouver said Thursday Mr. Price is under CBS-TV contract until next fall while a play in which Miss Anderson is appearing in California has proven so successful the run will continue.

Mr. Price had planned to do "Don Juan in Hell" both here and in Vancouver, while Miss Anderson had planned to do Robinson Jeffers' "Tower Beyond Tragedy."

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31,000 Signatures On UBC Aid Petition

More than 31,000 signatures have been received from Greater Victoria residents during a two-day "blitz" by UBC and Victoria College students seeking support of a petition asking \$15,000,000 in provincial aid for the university.

The money is needed for housing, classrooms and other facilities, students say.

Canvassing will continue to Sunday, to obtain the 35,000 signatures wanted from this area.

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Skelton's Son Hospitalized For Leukemia

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—A spokesman for Red Skelton acknowledged Thursday night that Richard Freeman Skelton Jr., nine-year-old son of the comedian, is under hospital treatment for leukemia.

Doctors declined to comment, except to say that everything possible is being done for the child.

The spokesman said that Richard is not confined to bed and will be sent home in about 10 days. He said physicians would not speculate on the boy's chances for recovery.

Blissful Ignorance

CHATHAM, Ont. (CP)—Grade eight student Diana Gazarek paid no heed to her nature lessons and profited from it. She tried to raise raspberries in mid-October and harvested big, juicy berries.

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SUIT FOR DIVORCE alleging that actress Jayne Mansfield had caused him "pain, anguish and distress," was filed at Dallas, Tex., Thursday by her husband since 1950, Paul J. Mansfield.

THE MOVIE WORLD

Bing Songless—Claims He Likes It

By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD (AP)—With out a song—that's Bing Crosby in his latest picture.

Ever since he started in Mack Sennett comedies, Bing has sung in every picture he has made, even the dramatic ones of recent years. But in his current film, "Man on Fire," he doesn't so much as warble a note.

"It was my own idea," Bing says. "I figured if I couldn't get away without singing in this picture, I never could. There's really no reason for a song. The character is not an entertainer; he owns a small manufacturing company."

"I always figured before that I was a crooner and people expected me to sing when they saw one of my pictures. But I don't think anybody's going to run out of the theatre and de-

mand their money back if they don't get a song out of me. "I think it destroys some of the illusion of a dramatic picture if you throw in songs. The Country Girl would have been better without them."

Bing eagerly scanned my copy of Variety for listings of his hit record, "True Love." It was fourth.

"That's just where I want it."

MEMORIAL ARENA SCHEDULE
Friday, January 4
Patch Session—7:30-9 a.m.
Public Skating—10-12 Noon
Pro Hockey
Winnipeg vs. Cougars—8:30 p.m.
Saturday, January 5
Minor Hockey—7-10 a.m.
V.F.S.C. (Jr.)—11-1 p.m.
Public Skating—2-4 p.m.
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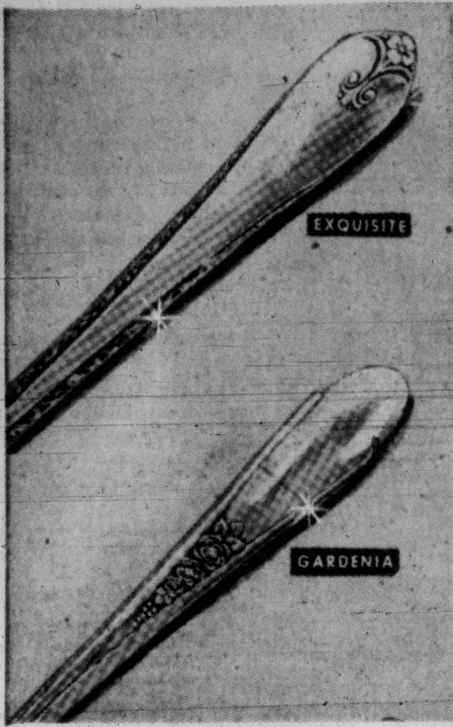
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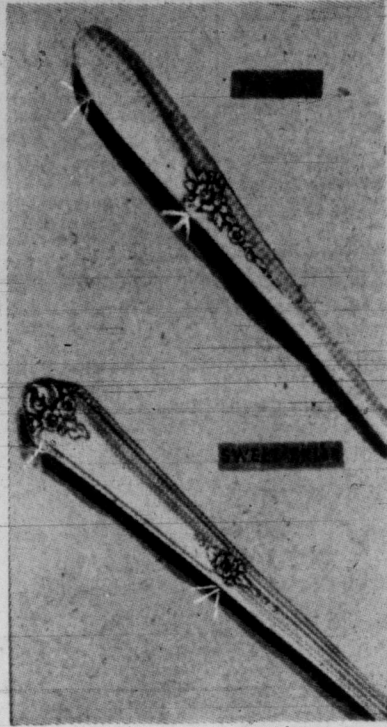
The Luxury look for a low price—famous Rogers and Oneida Community flatware



1/2-Price

Give a new bride a proud feeling... give her the finest silverplate, Oneida and Rogers, in the one pattern that seems to have been designed just for her. She'll be overjoyed to have fine flatware gracing her tables now and in the years to come... it has luxurious weight as well as an enduring charm. Open stock on the following patterns—Oneida: "Fortune," "Fantasy," "Sweet Briar... 1847 Rogers Bros.: "Gardenia" and "Exquisite." Selection includes all pieces, dessert knives, dinner and butter knives, dinner and dessert forks, dessert spoons, sugar, gravy, soup, tea and table spoons, and cold meat fork. Hurry, and come early, only 1/2 price while quantities last. You'll be proud to give and to have this fine flatware in your home.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, silverware, main floor



Save now on quality Harvey Woods nylons... flattering and sheer

99¢ pair

Soft, attractive shades of light and dark beige to complement your daytime and evening ensembles. Only 1,200 pairs of these exquisite Harvey Woods nylons that wear, wear and yet are so beautiful. Styled with the flattering pencil-thin leg-sleeve fit. Yes, Harvey Woods hosiery, regular 1.50, now at a low, low price, while they last.

1,800 Pairs of Substandard and First Quality Nylon Hosiery

Hurry! Buy now and save! Nylons at an unbelievable low price. We have a large selection of flattering hosiery including: Full Fashion, Seamfree, Stretch, Knee High, and Nurses' White. No phone orders please! While they last, only, pair.

25¢

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, hosiery, main floor

The BAY'S Fabric sale continues with these late arrival SPECIALS



36" American Gold-Printed Sateens

Gay! Colorful! and fashionable. These outstanding quality printed sateens have a beautiful gold overlay which gives them a luxurious rich appearance. Easy to launder, crease-resistant cotton styled with a floral or novelty pattern with a green, blue, brown, aqua, pink and turquoise ground. Special price, yard **99¢**

Crease resistant, drip dry polka dot cotton

Choose blue, red, navy, black, grey and green to make a bright and cheerful shirt, skirt, dress or blouse. This American Drip Dry Polka Dot just washes and dries with little or no ironing required. Quality colorfast yarns. Small, medium and large dot patterns. **2 yards 1¹⁹**

Colorful crease-resistant cotton prints

Economical and saves time!... So easy to launder and iron because of the chemical treated-finish. Choose from dozens of patterns in the novelty, floral or border designs. Ideal for full dresses, smocks, curtains, aprons and skirts. Several colors to choose from. **2 yards 1¹⁹**

American everglazed printed chintz

New! Cheerful. Spring and summer patterns to make you feel and look as bright as the summer sunshine. This permanent finished everglazed chintz resists soil and dirt, and takes only a few minutes to launder and iron. A large selection of colors... blue, pink, maize, grey, green, avocado **79¢** and many more. Special sale price, yard

54" British Navy blazer flannel

Here's an outstanding value you can't afford to miss! This longwearing sturdy flannel is ideal for the rough and rugged wear required in kiddies' clothes, also makes into beautifully tailored jackets, skirts and jumpers. **1⁵⁹**

Special sale price, yard

9 A.M. SPECIALS

On sale one hour or while quantities last. Please, no phone, mail or C.O.D. orders.

36" plain and printed embossed cottons—Sew and save on these ends of no-iron cottons that sew into beautiful dresses, skirts, blouses and kiddies' wear. Broken assortment of colors and patterns. Special sale price, yard **38¢**

Colorful cotton prints—Bright, cheerful cotton prints for skirts, blouses, curtains, aprons and dresses. A large assortment of colors and patterns. Colorfast. Special price **4 yards 99¢**

2 P.M. SPECIALS

On sale one hour or while quantities last. Please, no phone, mail or C.O.D. orders.

36" white and colored broadcloth for trims, aprons, blouses, dresses and for kiddies' clothes. Colorfast, and most are Sanitized. Cool, white and cheerful colors. Special sale price **3 yards 99¢**

Glazed cotton prints in a wide assortment of colors and patterns—Sew and save on these colorful print ends... 1 to 5-yard lengths. Colorfast. Ideal for blouses, dresses, skirts and aprons. Special sale price, yard **38¢**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, dress goods, fashion floor, 2nd

Last Day Saturday for the BAY'S subs and samples SALE Featuring

- Subs at a fabulous reduction... will stretch your budget dollar.
- A wide assortment of styles, colors, sizes, in all merchandise.
- Any flaws are mostly minor that will not impair the beauty or lasting qualities.

Imported! Italian Sportclothing for men



3/4-length duffle coats—An outdoors man needs real warm outdoor clothing... like these warm handsome wool melton cloth duffle coats. Whether you're planning a trip to the mountains or taking a leisurely stroll on a crisp winter evening, you'll want to be sure that your coat will keep you warm, give you good hardwearing service and, naturally, look smart... These hooded duffle coats will do just that! Choose tan, blue or grey. Sizes 38 to 42. Special sale price **23⁹⁹**

Men's grey wool flannel sport slacks

that are handsomely tailored with the pleated front and adjustable waistband to give you that smart Continental flair. Ideal for college, office or town wear. Sizes 30 to 32. Special sale price **8⁹⁹**

Waist-length zipper windbreakers

that have just arrived from Italy. Soft, durable, rugged looking jackets to keep you warm and dry during the cold winter months. Be a style leader... own a jacket with the Continental flair... large or small check patterns in subdued colors. Some are quilt lined, others with lined game pockets. Sizes 38 to 42. Special price **10⁹⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, men's clothing, main floor

SATURDAY ONE-HOUR SPECIALS

On Sale One Hour or while quantities last. No C.O.D., phone or mail orders, please!

9 A.M. SPECIALS

Women's Buskin Slippers—Step-in style slipper with fabric uppers of gay red or blue tartan and foam cushion soles for real floating comfort. Closed toes and backs. An outstanding value in sizes 4-7. Special price, each **2⁹⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, women's shoes, fashion floor, 2nd

Short Ends Drapery Fabrics—Assorted shades in crisp, fresh fabrics, ideal for slip covering the odd chair, footstool, etc. or to make smaller drapes or lovely novelty skirts. Reg. 1.95-3.50 yard. Special, yard **98¢**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, draperies, 4th

Women's Slippers—Sturdy split suede uppers and padded leather soles. Warm and cosy with fleece lining and bushy wool collar. Available in red, blue and grey. Sizes 4-9. Special **1²⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, women's shoes, fashion floor, 2nd

Pottery Planters—Attractive and functional, approximately 4" wide 5 1/2" high. Some have fashionable brass stands. Pink, yellow and blue. Reg. 1.49. Special **59¢**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, china, main

Reversible Satin Comforters—60x72, thickly packed with wool for extra warmth and attractively quilted in rich satin, reversible for longer service. Assorted colors to brighten your bedroom. Special, each **4⁹⁷**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, staples, 3rd

Boys' Pullovers—V-neck styles with long sleeves. Pure wool in glowing shades of yellow, tan, green and blue. Full fashioned. An outstanding value. Regular 7.95. Only **4⁴⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, boys' wear, main

Men's Slippers—Opera type slippers with padded leather soles and soft leather uppers. Real value and comfort in wine and tan. Sizes 6, 7, 9, 10 and 11 collectively. Special **1⁴⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, men's shoes, main

Seamfree Hosiery—Ideal for work and play, substandard seamfree hosiery that covers your leg just like a suntan, no fear of crooked seams. Special, pair, only **69¢**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, hosiery, main

Women's Sample Shoes—In smooth and suede leathers, patent leathers and vinyls, in assorted styles. High heels. Brown, blue, black, red and silver... all size 4 1/2. Call in early for this outstanding value. Special, only **3⁹⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, women's shoes, fashion floor, 2nd

Beautiful Assortment of Sterling Plated Dishes—To grace your table now and in the years to come. Ideal for entertaining your friends and family... includes plates, bonbons, and relish dishes. Reg. 2.95. Special price **1²⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, silverware, main

Thick Napped Flannelette Blankets—Clearance due to minor flaws. Warm, long wearing sheets for all night comfort. Whipped ends. Large size, 70x90. Reg. pair 7.50. Special sale price, pair **4⁹⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, staples, 3rd

Dainty Styled White Nylon, Acetate Slips—Save, low price, long wearing attractive slips that are cut and styled for comfort... adjustable straps, lace trims at hem and bodice. Save time... no ironing and quick drying. Reg. 1.98. Special sale price **1³⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, lingerie, fashion floor, 2nd

Women's Ballerinas and Strap Shoes—Attractive smooth leather ballerinas and one-strap styles, leather soles, low leather heels. Blue, white, canary, ivory. Size 5 only. Special price **2⁹⁹**

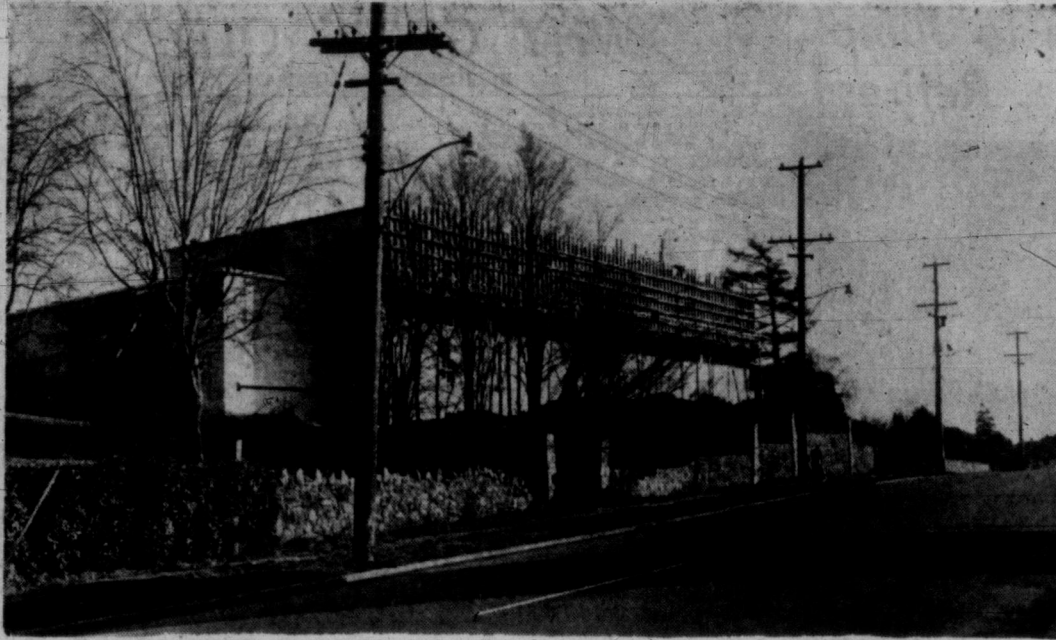
HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, women's shoes, fashion floor, 2nd

Women's Sample Shoes—Comfortable, stylish smooth leather and suede pumps and casuals. Leather soles, medium and flattie heels. A large assortment of colors. Size 4. Special price **5⁹⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, women's shoes, fashion floor, 2nd

Men's Broadcloth Shirts—Nationally known make shirts of firmly woven material. Styled for complete comfort and perfect fit... Fused collars and cuffs. Stripes and checks in pastel pink shades. Sizes 14 to 16. Special price **1⁴⁹**

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY, men's furnishings, main



SCHOOL MAINTENANCE 'SHOP' TAKES SHAPE

New \$189,000 school board maintenance building on Gorge Road near B.C. Forest Products plant will be completed by end of March. The building will combine old shops at Central Junior High School grounds,

on Kings Road and at Rock Bay Avenue. Contractor is Patterson Construction Ltd. and architects were Polson and Siddall. The building was authorized in the 1954 school loan by-law.

Building Total Down \$1 Million In Victoria Area

Esquimalt Shows Only Increase

Value of Greater Victoria construction fell a million dollars in 1956, year-end figures show.

Permits worth a total \$17,522,393 were issued in Victoria, Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt in the 12 months just ended. In 1955 there was \$18,592,150 worth of construction.

Saanich, Oak Bay and Victoria each showed a decline, but Esquimalt building nearly doubled to a total \$1,957,256, shattering its 1955 record of \$1,028,529.

Lowest spread between 1956 and 1955 totals was registered by Oak Bay, where in the 12 months ended permits valued at \$2,562,818 were issued, a drop of \$140,945.

In Saanich the figure fell from \$6,369,310 in 1955 to \$5,036,585 last year. There were a total 991 permits issued in 1956, 1,145 in 1955.

December's total in Saanich was \$16,400, \$35,600 of which was for seven dwellings.

Out of the year's dwellings total 555 permits worth \$3,647,110 were issued, against 754 valued at \$4,925,390 in 1955.

126 HOUSES

Residential construction accounted for \$1,798,100 of the total in Oak Bay. During the year 126 houses were built or started, compared with 108 in 1955.

Five new apartments were built last year, ranging in size from two to 33 suites, and two conversions to apartment buildings were made.

A \$9,000 addition to Oak Bay's Monterey School was made, plus a \$6,000 addition to Oak Bay High.

In December three permits for houses valued at a total \$42,500 were issued.

SCHOOL WORK

Several school additions and new service stations helped the total figure in Saanich last year, but dwellings remained the largest item in final tabulation.

Largest industrial projects were a new warehouse for Hudson's Bay Co. valued at \$450,000 and a new Safeway store worth \$175,000.

Victoria's decline from \$8,490,548 in 1955 to \$7,965,734 last year could be attributed to lack of apartment construction and industrial expansion in the past 12 months.

Mayor Percy Scurrell said earlier in the year apartment construction in the city had reached its saturation point, but opponents of the city's new zoning regulations claim apartment buildings are restricted.

Saanich has the space for apartments but there was no work of any significant nature in this respect in 1956. Oak Bay led in apartment construction, with Esquimalt second.

Losses Claimed At E&N Hearing

\$12,600 Deficit Every Year

CHRISTMAS CARDS REACH CITY FROM DROWNED PHOTOGRAPHER

Two Christmas cards posted from Guernsey Island by late Victoria photographer Helmuth Goertz, drowned with his wife and son off the coast of Spain last month, were received here Thursday.

Mrs. William Crothall, 1277 Fairfield, with whom the surviving member of the Goertz family, Anita, stayed while the Goertz residence was being sold, received a card, as did corner grocer Reg Lowe, who manages Wong Brothers on Cook.

Anita is now with an uncle in Edmonton.

Public hearing before the Board of Transport Commissioners concerning CPR application to discontinue the passenger end of the present train service between Nanaimo and Port Alberni opened in the courthouse here today.

Argument by CPR counsel F. H. Britton was that the CPR subsidiary, Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, was suffering an annual loss of \$12,600 by maintaining a passenger car on the run.

"The mixed train is hardly ever used by the public," he said.

Submitting a City of Nanaimo letter which said road slides had halted truck and passenger traffic on the highway, and urging that rail passenger service be retained, he said, "If the road was blocked, the railway would be willing to put on a train" to haul passengers.

OFTEN DELAYED

T. V. Kennedy, divisional engineer and assistant E & N superintendent, said freight was now often delayed because of the necessity to move passengers between the two points. It could be speeded up if passenger service was dropped.

Tonnage hauled was limited by steep grades, he said. Present tonnage per trip was a maximum 800-odd, of which passenger coach and baggage took up 100 tons.

"We leave tonnage behind very often," he said.

Passengers now number less than 1,000 a year over the 61-mile route which takes trains about 3 1/2 hours.

FOUR BUS TRIPS

District passenger agent for the CPR, Harry Newton, said the alternate method of passenger travel was by Vancouver Island Coach Lines which had four trips a day each way, made a trip in one hour and 40 minutes, and averaged 15 persons per bus.

"We can't be successful with our passenger operations," he said, pointing out that car numbers were heavy in the area; 4,500 in Port Alberni alone and about 10,000 in the entire district.

The hearing is before Mr. Justice John D. Kearney, chief commissioner, and Commissioner Frank M. MacPherson.

Appearing for the City of Nanaimo and the Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce was J. R. Dudley, and for Port Alberni, E. A. Dinsmore, city solicitor.

A delegation from Nanaimo was headed by Mayor Peter Maffeo while C. W. Gordon was present on behalf of the Chamber and district Chambers of Commerce. Present for the Vancouver Island Ratepayers' Association was president George Bonner, Cobble Hill. Hearing is continuing.

Doctors Fight To Save Child

Condition of three-year-old Michelle Elliott, critically injured when she was in collision with a car near her home Thursday afternoon, was described by St. Joseph's Hospital officials today as "a little improved but still serious."

Doctors performed a lengthy brain operation Thursday night to save the child's life.

She suffered a fractured skull in the mishap, which occurred as she ran across Grandford Avenue near her home at 614 Baker.

Driver of the car was Mark R. Knisley, 869 Parklands, who was travelling south on Grandford.

Three other youngsters, including an eight-year-old girl who suffered a concussion when she fell from her bicycle, were taken to hospital from accidents Thursday.

Carol Ann Fect, of 914 Oliver, was reported in "satisfactory" condition by Royal Jubilee Hospital officials today.

Oak Bay police said she was found at about 4 p.m. lying unconscious on Central Avenue by Mrs. B. Middled, 569 Falkland, who drove her to hospital.

Nine-year-old Dennis Harbour, 1632 Amphion, was in satisfactory condition in Royal Jubilee Hospital with a broken arm received when a ladder fell on him.

The accident took place at 3:30 p.m. beside a woodshed at 1520 Amphion.

A police ambulance which took the boy to hospital also conveyed a friend, eight-year-old Kenneth Geary, 1509 Amphion, who had been bitten on the leg by a dog.

The boy was discharged after treatment. Owner of the dog agreed to have the animal destroyed.

Good Homes, Jobs Available To Domestic Servants Here

A domestic servant in this area can choose from dozens of jobs offering ideal working conditions.

Miss Ilce Terry who handles employment of women for the National Employment Service here said today there are no women seeking employment as domestics, but there are close to 70 requests for household assistance on hand.

Many former servants now find the work unattractive despite higher wages and good working conditions, and are finding jobs in business and industry.

Miss Terry said the flow of immigrant girls has virtually dried up. Apart from placements in business and industry, one of the reasons young women don't take kindly to the thought of becoming domestics is "that they feel they haven't the same freedom in a home as working elsewhere."

A recent survey of homes here requiring domestic help showed them to be of high calibre, she said, with the maid's room well-furnished, generally with a radio.

For a maid, the going rate is \$60 a month plus board and room, and for a cook-general, \$80 monthly with board and room.

Fifty years ago being a domestic was a respected occupation, but today, with girls graduating from school at an older age, ideas of security and opportunity have changed, said Miss Terry.

The only solution to the shortage, she said, was institution of broad courses which would illustrate the responsibility and fundamental dignity of housekeeping which is, after all, one of the prime roles of women, she said.

BETWEEN TIMES By MONTE ROBERTS

OUR VERY OWN CLUB CALENDAR

A record of events of interest to those who have interest in events which are to happen, have happened, or may not have happened:

The annual meeting of the Antigomishud branch of the Society for the Amorphous will be held at a time and place which is to be decided at the pre-annual meeting of the Antigomishud branch of the Society for the Amorphous at a time and place which is to be decided at the post-annual meeting of the Antigomishud branch of the Society for the Amorphous.

All Amorphans are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies' Guild of the East Western Order of the Southern North held a very successful bazaar recently. The highlight of the bazaar was an auction of used clothing. The newest member of the EWOSN sold the greatest quantity of used clothing, except some of it was still in use. The result of the bazaar was very bizarre, to say the least.

Members of the Women's League Against Everything are reminded the next general meeting will be held Monday. Members are also reminded to bring something to be against.

A very charming shower was arranged recently for Miss Theresa Thambolt, a long-time member of the Frantisanian Association.

Fellow members of the Association went to great pains to make the shower a great success, and it would have been a great success, except the member in charge of the shower turned on the wrong tap. This left Miss Thambolt cold.

The Society for the Development of Peppermint Cockroach-Bait will meet in the basement of Sloppy Joe's bar and grill Tuesday. Bring your own peppermints, also cockroaches.

A very charming evening was indulged in by the charming ladies who are affiliated with the Inside Straight Club Thursday night.

The charming ladies who make up the ladies' auxiliary to the Inside Straight Club allowed their husbands to stay home while they (the charming ladies) went out and played poker.

It was a very charming evening, indeed, for the charming ladies.

A general notice of a general meeting is being circulated generally to all wives of generals who belong to the Wives of Generals Club.

All Wives of Generals are invited to attend.



OFFICIAL APPOINTMENT

Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the provincial museum, as assistant district commissioner for the Rover Scouts, Victoria district, is expected next week. Boy Scout headquarters said today, Dr. Carl has accepted the position, but his appointment by provincial commissioner Dr. D. F. Kidd has not been confirmed. Dr. Carl has been a member of Fairfield group of Rover Scouts.

Firemen Ask Same Boost As Police

Victoria firemen have matched the city police 15 per cent wage demand in an effort to gain parity with firefighters in Vancouver.

The wage increase request made known today would boost fire department expenses by about \$58,000 compared to \$60,000 estimated for the police department.

This would indicate about a two-mill tax increase unless bargaining pares the demands, or civic incomes increase also.

Firemen's union president Alf Adamson said, in announcing the wage request, "Today we are the tenth on the provincial wage list for firemen where in 1939 we were second. In 1947 we were \$3 behind Vancouver. Today we are \$30 behind them."

He said the wage demand would mean an average boost of 24 cents an hour for the 84 men affected. First class firemen now receive \$332 a month, the same salary as a first class police constable.

Mr. Adamson said the union is also asking a group life insurance arrangement which would be a no-cost item to the city in that the city "gets the dividends." An extra week's holiday with pay after 25 years' service is also requested.

KINSMEN PLAN FOR CHILDREN

\$400,000 Drive For Handicapped

First new welfare project of Kinsmen Clubs since they established B.C. Polio Fund in 1950 starts Jan. 16 with a drive to raise \$400,000 for rehabilitation of the province's estimated 27,000 handicapped children.

The month-long campaign at Victoria and centres throughout B.C. will be conducted gradually among industrial and business firms, winding up with an hour-long mothers' march on city homes.

Victoria city council has endorsed unanimously the entire program, which envisions opening of a school of rehabilitation at University of British Columbia next September, and eventual construction of a 300-bed rehabilitation centre on UBC campus.

Handicapped children are defined as those suffering from physical or emotional defects expected to hamper education and gainful employment in later life if untreated.

Only a comparative handful of children can be treated effectively through existing facilities.

It is planned to aim for about \$75,000 in the Victoria campaign, handled by chairman Ted Hamer, Vic Van Isle Kinsmen Club, assisted by Win Chivers, Ken John and members of the club.

Last year the club collected \$46,000 here in the Mothers' March on Polio.

Third phase of the program for rehabilitation is provision of \$50,000 for immediate remedial and surgical care for handicapped children whose parents are unable to bear such cost.

MEET TONIGHT

At a meeting tonight the club will lay plans for the drive as outlined by provincial campaign chairman Ed Turner, Miss Chivers and Beryl Wilson, secretary of B.C. Kinsmen Care Committee, the organization which selects persons requiring aid.

The polio fund will get \$150,000 of the funds realized this year in order to continue with its work.

University of B.C. has accepted the proposal to set up a therapist training centre with a grant of \$50,000 from the fund. It will be the only Canadian school to train all types of therapists.

Co-operating with the polio fund will be Crippled Children's Registry and other organizations for helping the handicapped.

Local campaign headquarters is room 7, 710 Johnson, where donations may be sent.



THREE OF THE MAIN SPEAKERS at "Universal Week of Prayer" next week will be, from left, Dr. J. B. Rowell, Rev. Percy Willis and Rev. C. G. MacKenzie. Week will be observed by most denominations.

OPENING SCHEDULED MONDAY

Week of Prayer Planned

Century-old "Universal Week of Prayer," sponsored here by the Victoria unit of the World Evangelical Fellowship, will open at Central Baptist Church, Monday at 2:30 p.m.

Meetings will consist of Scripture readings, meditation, thanksgiving, confession and prayer on the following subjects: "The Christian and God," "The Christian and the Lord Jesus Christ," "The Christian and the Church," "The Christian and the Family" and "The Christian and Business."

Speakers at the five-day session will be Rev. C. B. Smith, Glad Tidings Tabernacle; Rev. Cecil Barner, Douglas Street Baptist Church; Dr. J. B. Rowell, Central Baptist Church; Rev.

C. G. MacKenzie, Victoria West United Church, and Rev. Percy Willis, superintendent of the Shantymen's Christian Association.

Meetings will be chaired by Rev. T. H. McAllister, Gorge Presbyterian Church; H. L. Hopkins; Rev. T. L. Westcott, Baptist Church at Brentwood Bay; Rev. C. R. Alton, Victoria Alliance Tabernacle, and F. J. Martens, president, British and Foreign Bible Society.

The week of prayer will be marked by the Christian Brethren Assemblies at Victoria Gospel Hall Monday through Thursday at 8 p.m., and at the new Oaklands Chapel, corner of Fernwood and Cedar Hill Roads, Friday at 8 p.m.

ASK The TIMES

Q.—In a speech following the recent U.S. election, Mr. Stevenson used the following phrase: "There is radiance and glory in the darkness for those who have eyes to see; and to see we have only to look." Did this originate with Mr. Stevenson, or was he quoting? If quoting, would you tell us its source?—Mrs. F.W.K.

A.—Sorry. Ask the Times is unable to present documentary evidence on this vivid line. No reference in any of the books of quotations in the Times' library record the passage, and the same is true of the Provincial Library.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to The Times, addressed to "Ask the Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

Premier Stalls Press Meetings

Premier W. A. C. Bennett said today he would hold no more press conferences until after the next session of the Legislature, due to start Feb. 7.

The premier instituted a system of twice-weekly press conferences some time ago but none have been held since early December, when the increase in liquor prices was the chief topic of discussion.

It had been hinted earlier that he would give no more press conferences, but today he answered with an emphatic "yes" when asked if the decision was definite.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Hopes that De Havilland Aircraft Company might construct a plant at Pat Bay airport faded at City Hall today.

Mayor Percy Scurrell, who was told by company president, P. C. Garratt, the plant was under consideration, has now been informed the matter has been suspended.

The mayor said he expects to hear more on the matter during a meeting with Mr. Garratt during a visit to Victoria "sometime in April."

Change of name of one of the city's largest legal firms and addition of John C. Cowan to the partnership was announced today.

The firm, Crease, Davis, Gordon, Baker, Lawson, Scott-Harston and Botterell, became Crease and Co. as of Jan. 1.

Mr. Cowan, a graduate of University of B.C. in arts, 1945, and in law, 1949, is 31 and has been with the firm four years since coming to Victoria from Vancouver where he practised three years. He is a Second World War veteran of the RCAF.

A pair of youthful seafarers who ran afoul of the tides in the inner harbor were rescued on Thursday afternoon by a tug-boat crew.

The two boys, aged 12 and 14, piloted an eight-foot skiff to a frigate hull near Capitol Iron Works at 1 p.m.

They climbed aboard the hull to investigate and became stranded when the rope holding the skiff broke away.

Their plight was seen by the tug Island Comet, which pulled alongside and took them to safety.

Both boys were given a stern reprimand by police.

Two fires in his home within five days cost Vernard M. Young, 1660 McKee, a total of \$40 in fines in Saanich court Thursday.

Young was fined \$15 for allowing his chimney to catch fire Dec. 9 and \$25 for depositing ashes in a cardboard box on the basement floor Dec. 13.

The second offence, which Magistrate H. C. Hall described as a "very dangerous practice, resulted in a small fire in the basement."

Walter Grexton, 5273 Cordova Bay Road was sentenced in Saanich police court Thursday to two years in the penitentiary on a morals charge. He had pleaded guilty.

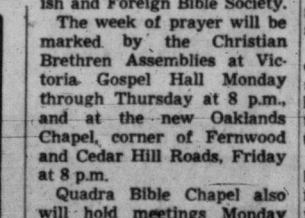
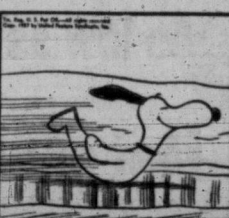
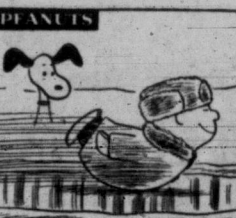
League of the Handicapped will meet in the YWCA recreation room tonight at 7:30. Members desiring transportation may phone Miss Ruth Scott at the YWCA or Fred Blakeney at 2-8315.

Winners of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Christmas lighting contest will be awarded prizes and trophies at a meeting at the Monterey Restaurant tonight at 7.

A New Year's Eve benefit dance at Lakeside Tea Room, Beaver Lake, for the burned-out family of Robert Durocher of Sooke, raised \$105.75.

Most of the money came as donations after 1 a.m. when the sale of tickets was discontinued.

Two infants were lost in the fire which swept the Durocher home two days after Christmas. The dance was sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sadler, proprietors of the Beaver Lake pavilion, who lost two children in a similar fire in 1947.



THE BETTER HALF



SHOPPING GUIDE

Sale Time Can Be Fun Time If You've Prepared for It

By PENNY SAVER

Anywhere I wander... big signs, little signs, red signs, glaring purple signs and dollar signs have one thing in common, they're all SALE signs.

Whether you're in the market for shoes, dresses, sweaters or skirts, chinaware, glassware, toys or engine parts, you can buy them at prices anywhere from 10 to 50 per cent lower than before the holiday season. The situation can be a tremendous help or a disastrous hindrance to the well-being of your budget. If you shop with the idea of picking up particular things, and nothing more, you'll make out all right, but if you wander, first eyeing this and then that, chances are you'll get home, look at your parcels and wonder how you came to buy so much!

Oh, I know after-holiday shopping can be fun, and the smart woman sets aside some cash for just this time of year. I've been peeking into one store and another, taking advantage of the wonderful offers, too, and you can take my word for it that there are some very good buys.

Just so your family won't go hungry, let me put in a good word for the food markets, where you're supposed to be heading. If you're not waylaid, and really do make it to the food shops, you'll find inviting fresh

vegetables to make your weekend dinners just like holiday dinners that we've become used to the last few weeks. Fresh broccoli is 43 cents for two pounds, and colorful carrots are two bunches for 29 cents.

New potatoes are available at two pounds for 23 cents. Cauliflower, a frothy and appetizing white, costs 30 cents. Savoy cabbages are 22 cents each, and regular green cabbage is 19 cents for two pounds. Sprouts are two pounds for 45 cents, and parsnips are two pounds for 35 cents. The same price for parsnips are yams and sweet potatoes. By the way, if you want to dress up these two vegetables in a new way, try boiling them, and then whipping them with brown sugar and cinnamon. Next, bake them in hollowed-out orange halves. A marshmallow popped on top adds to the wonderful taste. Large navel oranges at two for a quarter or other navel oranges in varying sizes at 35, 45, 55 and 60 cents a dozen would be just right for the containers.

Delicious apples are two pounds for 29 cents, and packages of fancy delicious are 65 cents. Fancy macs are 59 cents a package, and gano apples are three pounds for 29 cents.

If you're wondering where to buy a particular item, call me at 2-3131. With so many sales on in town, shopping is made much easier if you know exactly where to head.

CLUB CALENDAR

International Order of Job's Daughters No. 2, New Year's tea, Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company, 2:30 to 5 p.m., Saturday.

Rockland Park Women's Christian Temperance Union, Monday, 2 p.m., home of Mrs. N. Phillips, 2505 Cook Street. Annual prayer meeting, Special speaker, Dr. W. W. McPherson, Oak Bay United Church.

Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, Orange Hall, Monday, 8 p.m.

Women's Auxiliary to Veterans' Hospital, Monday at 2 p.m., at hospital.

Lake Hill Women's Institute, Monday at 1:30 p.m., Quadra Street Hall.

Oak Bay Subdivision, Catholic Women's League, Tuesday, Parish Hall, 8 p.m.

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First Canadian Woman to Jump On Para-Rescue Course, Retires

WINNIPEG—Flying Officer Marian Neely of Middleton, N.S., the first woman in Canada to make a parachute jump on an organized para-rescue course and the last of the active para-rescue nurses presently in the RCAF, has left the service after completing a six-year term as a nursing sister, during which time she made 26 para-jumps.

FO Neely enlisted in the RCAF in February, 1951. Her first posting was to RCAF Station Rockcliffe where she became interested in para-rescue work.

In July, 1951, Marian enrolled in a three-month para-rescue course at Edmonton and Jasper. It was the same strenuous course as is given to men. At Edmonton she began a rigid program of physical education and tumbling, and it was there that she made her first jump. FO Neely found that the jumping was actually the easiest part of the course, which included 10 jumps in all. The second phase took place in Jasper Park. It involved such activities as mountain and glacier climbing, crossing ravines on ropes, and learning to survive in the wilderness. The students also learned Morse Code, bush lore, and the history of parachuting, as well as being instructed in such important measures as how to pack their own parachutes.

FO Neely was in a class of 15, of whom only four were women. In a graduation ceremony at Edmonton on Oct. 26, 1951, Marian was presented with her para-rescue wings. Altogether, seven women have graduated from the two courses which have passed through the para-rescue school. Since June, 1956, Marian has been the only one of them still performing para-rescue duties. The others, excepting one girl permanently grounded due to wrist injuries, have left the service, mainly for reasons of marriage.



FO. Neely, a nursing sister who turned to para-rescue.

Marian was born Sept. 25, 1928, in Middleton, N.S. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Neely, still live there, and it was in Middleton's MacDonald High School that she received her education. At the Fisher Memorial Hospital in Woodstock, N.B., she began her training as a nurse in 1948, and graduated in 1949. She worked for over a year at Fundy Hospital, Black's Harbor, N.B., before joining the RCAF in 1951, and remember all that you have been taught.

She asserts that she was only slightly nervous before jumping and found it an exciting experience. She denies that it is dangerous as long as you keep alert and remember all that you have been taught.

Try To Unwind Before Bedtime

To insure a good night's rest, you need time to "unwind" before you go to bed.

You won't do it with a cup of coffee and a cigarette. A tepid bath is a help and so is a glass of warm milk.

Lots of people read themselves to sleep. But don't pick a problem book or a horror story for this purpose.

Make sure your blanket is neither too light nor too heavy and that the room is properly ventilated. If your street is noisy and you can't cut off the noise by closing some windows, use ear plugs, those little foam rubber-and-wax contraptions that cut off noise very effectively.

Last, but far from least, clear your mind of problems when you close your eyes. There's nothing you can do about them at this point, anyway, and after a good night's sleep, you can often solve them effectively.

SKIN AND HAIR

The story of every charming mature woman who has retained her good looks can be told in one word: discipline. It's self-discipline that makes it possible to refuse a rich dessert, to get to bed on time, to include a walk in fresh air in the daily program, to map out exercises that

Molasses Syrup For Ice Cream

Here's an ice cream sauce worthy of birthday parties! Whip a cup of currant jelly with a rotary beater. Add two tablespoons of iron-rich real New Orleans molasses with the juice of half an orange. Serve with any and all ice cream flavors.

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Q. "Due to poor posture I have developed a Dowager's Hump. Could you give me a good exercise? I am in my early 30s. Is it too late for improvement?"

A. I should say it isn't! As part of the corrective measures you must try to remember your posture during the day. Otherwise you will somewhat nullify the good which the corrective exercises will do. The following is a good exercise. Lie on the floor on your back, arms resting on the floor, extending straight out from the shoulders, at right angles to the body. Palms

face the ceiling. Roll your head backward as you lift your shoulders from the floor. Hips remain on floor. Hold for a few moments and return shoulders to the floor. Continue, slowly.

Q. "I am 13 years old, 5 feet 3 1/2 inches tall and weigh 106 pounds. My bust measures 33 1/2 inches, waist 24 and hips 33 1/2 inches. I am always conscious of having a big stomach and large expanding hips."

A. You are not overweight. If anything you are a little underweight, but not enough to worry about. You certainly do not have expanding hips with a measurement of 33 1/2 inches. You will naturally slim down as you grow a little older.

Q. "I am 14 years old, weigh 123 pounds and am 5 feet 6 inches tall. My measurements are, bust 34, waist 24 and hips 35 inches. I would like to know if I am too fat. My thighs are very big and I don't look too good in a bathing suit or shorts. Please answer in the paper, please!"

A. You must be worrying about nothing very serious because you are not at all overweight. You probably could stand to gain about five pounds.

Q. "I am 13 years old. My measurements are 36-28-36. I weigh 130 pounds but I am only 5 feet 2 inches tall. I tried to get thinner and did lose some weight but all the charts I look at tell me I should weigh something different. I would appreciate it if you would tell me what my weight should be."

A. About 106 pounds. Q. "I am 37 years old, 5 feet 5 inches tall and weigh 130 pounds.

I'm not overweight but I have fat on my stomach and my hips are no longer firm. Is there anything I can do about this to improve?"

A. Yes. Take abdominal and hip exercises. Special exercises are the only answer to these special problems.

If any of my readers would like to have these exercises sent a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 5. Address Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

TODAY'S RECIPE

LIMA SOUP WITH MEAT BALLS

One cup large dry limas, 5 cups boiling water, 1 medium-sized onion, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine, 1 cup canned tomatoes, 1 cup sliced celery, 1 cup diced carrot, 1 bay leaf, 2 teaspoons salt, 1/4 pound ground lean beef, 1/4 cup fine dry bread crumbs, 3 tablespoons milk, 1/4 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.

Rinse limas, add water and boil 2 minutes. Cover and let stand 1 hour or longer. Chop onion and cook briefly in butter. Add to soaked limas with other vegetables, bay leaf and 2 teaspoons salt. Cook slowly 2 hours or until limas are tender.

Combine beef, crumbs, milk, Worcestershire sauce and remaining 1/4 teaspoon salt, and mix well. Shape into tiny meat balls. Brown lightly in hot skillet and add to soup. Simmer 15 minutes longer. Makes 6 servings.

Installation Ceremony

Next Tuesday

When members of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1, IOOF, meet next Tuesday in the Odd Fellows Hall at 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Margaret Gower, district deputy president, will install officers for the coming year.

The retiring noble grand, Mrs. Olive Green, has had a successful year, reports show, with more than 20 new members admitted and many teas and sales, including the annual bazaar that realized \$750. These receipts are used for philanthropic projects of the lodge.

LOUISE DAVIS

On Etiquette

About exchanging gifts: I received a birthday gift from an out-of-town friend in the form of some pink gloves. I never wear pink and the gloves won't go with anything I own. Would it be all right if I mail them back to her and ask her to exchange them for another color?

Louise Davis answers: Your friend probably would think you ungrateful if you send them back. Furthermore, why expect her to go to the trouble of exchanging them? After all, she selected pink gloves thinking that you would like them and that the color would be becoming to you.

You might be able to write the store and exchange them, but by all means do not inconvenience your friend. I suggest that you put the gloves away. They may come in handy at a later date and some day you might find that pink is becoming.



Louise

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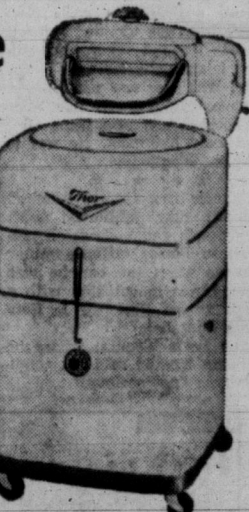
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Between Ourselves

By ELIZABETH FORBES

It's funny how quickly everything runs to a slower tempo immediately after the New Year. There's a feeling of lassitude. A hesitancy to start anything that may take any effort. Everything and everybody looks a little tired. Even the greeting cards hanging over fireplaces and on doors and walls droop and sag.

As for clothes... ah, clothes! This morning I would have given much to have been able to scrap my whole wardrobe and take off for the stores to buy new dresses, new hats... new... well, everything!

Turkey? Don't mention turkey! Let's settle for a good hamburger!

A woman who came into the office a few hours ago put the whole thing rather well, I thought. Usually she bustles in with her club notice, and she's all smiles and full of pleasant quips. Today, she came in slowly... puffing a bit from her climb up the stairs. "I've eaten too much during the holidays," she said with a woe of shake of her head. "It's nibble, nibble, nibble! Fun, of course, while it lasts... but look at me... I've taken on pounds!"

She sat down on the edge of my desk to regain her breath. "I've no pep," she said. "I can't even get up enough energy to take down the tree and the decorations."

"As for the days ahead... cleaning house, cooking meals... getting the kids off to school... helping with bazaars... convening teas... answering the telephone when it rings... rings... rings! I simply can't face it!"

Standing With Reluctant Feet

"You know, I get this feeling every year about now. It's like standing on a swaying bridge over a stream that rushes and roars under your feet. Behind you is all the fun you've had, the tears you've shed and the mistakes you've made in the past year. It all looks so familiar. Ahead... well, it's out of focus, and you can't see what you are getting into. You think the sun is shining and you hope the flowers are blooming... but it is not very clear."

"The water under your feet scares you. It's impossible to go back and you hesitate to go forward. It's a funny feeling. I can tell you!"

She heaved a gusty sigh. Straightened her hat. Picked up her umbrella and unconsciously squared her shoulders.

"I guess that's life!" she said. Then her eyes began to twinkle and she smiled. "You know, we wouldn't have it any other way, would we?"

I watched her trot purposefully off toward the stairs and I went with her in imagination across her Bridge of Life and stood for a moment on the solid ground, on the far side of the rushing stream that subconsciously she must have named as Time. I, too, peered ahead to see if the sun was shining.

The telephone rang at my elbow. It's jangle jerked me back to the present. A voice said... "Annual meeting coming up."

Well... that should get me started off on the path way that is labeled 1957!



Mrs. H.L. Campbell, retiring president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the YMCA, hands the gavel to newly-installed president, Mrs. R.A. Dykes.

Auxiliary Uses \$1,000 In Furnishings at YMCA

Both financially and socially, 1956 proved to be a successful year for the Ladies' Auxiliary to the YMCA, under the leadership of Mrs. H.C. Campbell.

A review of the year was held at the recent annual meeting, when it was noted that chief money-raising projects during the year were two rummage sales, realizing a total of \$296.48; a coffee party at the home of Mrs. J. Todd, \$539.50; a hidden auction, \$33.60, and a chain letter, \$26.

With these receipts decorating and furnishing was done in the "Y." On the first floor hallway \$328 was spent on painting and linoleum, and on the second floor, \$251.79 on linoleum. Bought were 45 blankets, 68 sheets and 20 pair of slippers, bringing the total expenditure to over \$1,000. Mrs. Donald McAdie was in charge of this work.

It was also reported that average attendance at meetings has been 23.9. Five meetings were held at the "Y" and others at the homes of Mrs. J. Finlayson, Mrs. W. J. Munro, Mrs. H.C. Campbell and Mrs. G. H. Wheaton.

A talk on "Y" work by V. Shoemaker, and the showing of a film was included in the year's activities.

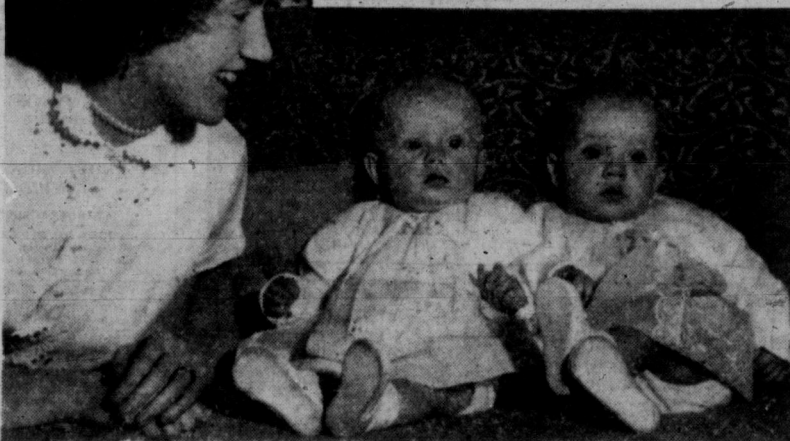
Mrs. H.L. Campbell, retiring president, installed the following officers: President, Mrs. R.

Babies Receive Engraved Spoons

Every baby in the maternity wing of the Royal Jubilee Hospital was presented with an engraved silver spoon during the holidays. The presentation was made by Mrs. C.H. Mann and Mrs. W.E. Speed on behalf of the Women's Auxiliary of the Royal Jubilee Hospital. The auxiliary was also responsible for the seasonal decorations in the maternity wing of the hospital.

The committee, with Mrs. J. H. Newton convening, has completed its plans for the annual bridge, which will be held in the Nurses' Home Feb. 6.

Twins To Be Christened



Little Nancy Rose, left, and Deborah Ann, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart McLeary, 2950 Bridge Street, will be christened Sunday in St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, by Canon Frederick Pike. Godparents of Nancy Rose will be Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Cresswell, and Mrs. George Randall, and godparents of Deborah Ann will be Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Simard, Cobble Hill, and Mrs. J. Roche. The babies' maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. Ashford, and their paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. McLeary. Following the service, the guests will return to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ashford for refreshments. The little girls are pictured with their mother.

Couple Married at Nuptial Mass In Our Lady of Lourdes Church

Father M. J. McNamara celebrated the Nuptial Mass in Our Lady of Lourdes Church recently for Miss Mary Margaret Flanagan and Edward M. Donald Cleveland. Seasonal flowers were placed on the altar for the ceremony, and a background of organ music was provided by Mrs. Leslie Gill.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Flanagan, 833 Byng Street, was given in marriage by her brother, J. Edward N. Flanagan. For the ceremony she wore a street-length two-piece suit of ecru Chantilly lace over champagne satin. She chose "matching" satin pumps, and wore a small hat of Dior blue feathers. Her bouquet was of tawny gold roses, white carnations and stephanotis.

The groom's sister, Mrs. Ivor O'Connell, was bridesmatron, and chose a red chiffon dress in street length fashioned with an empire style bodice of red lace. Her small hat was of white feathers and she carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums. The groom, son of Mrs. Cleve-

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Luncheon in HMCS Ontario

Hon. Frank Mackenzie Ross, CMG, MC, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, was guest of honor at a luncheon aboard HMCS Ontario today following an official call he made on Capt. R. P. Welland, DSC, CD, RCN, commanding officer of the ship. The Ontario's guard and band were paraded for the formal call.

The Lieutenant-Governor was accompanied by Mrs. Ross and other guests were Rear-Admiral H.-F. Pullen, OBE, CD, RCN, Flag Officer Pacific Coast, and Mrs. Pullen; Commodore P. D. Budge, DSC, CD, RCN, commanding officer, HMCS Naden, and Mrs. Budge; Capt. P. D. Taylor, DSC, CD, RCN, commanding officer, HMCS Crescent and senior officer, 2nd Canadian Escort Squadron, and Mrs. Taylor, Lt.-Cmdr. J. H. Wade, ADC, and Miss Ruth MacLean.

Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Williams, 3637 Cedar Hill Road, were guests of honor when approximately 150 guests gathered in St. Aidan's United Church hall on the occasion of the couple's golden wedding anniversary. A three-tier wedding cake centred the head table which was decorated with golden candlesticks and bells. Rev. T. G. Griffiths, formerly of St. Aidan's, proposed the toast to the happy couple who were married in Porth, South Wales, in Bethlehem Chapel. A 400-day clock was presented by Rev. Ibbs Avery on behalf of the congregation, and a table lamp from the choir was presented by Mrs. Barbara Brown. Many telegrams from nieces and nephews in London, Eng., and from Wales were read. Mrs. W. C. Williams, Mr. Williams' sister, who was present at the wedding 50 years ago, sang a Welsh solo in their honor. Guests were welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Williams' daughters, Mrs. Phyllis Hill, Mrs. Miriam Prior, Mrs. Edith Neill and Mrs. Lillian Easton. Serviteurs were granddaughters, Misses Carolyn Hill and Linda Neill. Others assisting were Mrs. May Pedneault, Mrs. Celia Morgan, Misses Pat Morgan, Beverly, Judy Lewis and Lo-Kay Smith.

For a Bride-To-Be

Miss Betty Dolman was guest of honor at a shower party recently when fellow staff members of the Federal Government Family Allowance and Old Age Security office gathered at the home of Miss Lily Henderson, Richardson Street. Miscellaneous gifts were concealed in a giant cup and saucer, flanked by two miniature RCMP officers. In compliment to the groom-elect, Bill Gilchrist, RCMP, pink daisies were in the corsage presented to the bride-to-be, and her mother, Mrs. H. J. Dolman, received white carnations. Guests included Mrs. K. Ferster, Mrs. D. Wakely, Mrs. D. White, Mrs. L. Reece, Mrs. M. Sutton, Mrs. N. Fisher, Mrs. I. McMillan, Mrs. P. Poole, Mrs. A. Wilcox, Mrs. M. Baird, Mrs. F. Lohner, Mrs. V. O'Connell, Mrs. G. Jesney, Mrs. J. Smith, Mrs. A. Sloat, Misses Joan Semple, Lal

O'Neill, Georgie Richardson, Jessie Nicol, Isabella Price, Ida Crews, George Harper, Sadie McArthur, Mary Barrick, Joan Bailey, Margaret McKercher, Louise Michoux, Lorraine Luney and Lynne McNab.

Back From Oregon

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Forbes returned last night from Eugene, Ore., where they have spent the past week with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Forbes Jr., and baby daughter Susan.

Wedding Guests

Recently in Victoria were Mrs. A. W. Perry, Miss Winnie Galloway and Capt. and Mrs. Richard Hickey, Mr. Fred Brooker and Mr. and Mrs. Marlow Carter, all of Vancouver, who were guests at the Cleveland-Flanagan wedding in Our Lady of Lourdes Church.

Party for Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Trason of Berkeley, Calif., were guests for the holiday week of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barrett at their home on Grandview Drive, Gordon Head. Mrs. Trason is the former Miss Winona Bethune who was a member of the staff of Victoria College. During their stay the visitors were honored when Mrs. K. Reed entertained with a social evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Alice Hamilton, 1271 Faithful Street. Invited guests included Dr. and Mrs. Harry Hickman, Dr. W. C. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Slydell, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. D. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barrett and Ronald and Winona, Mrs. J. C. Browne, Mrs. Frank Boyd, Mrs. A. Chisholm, Misses Ella Walker, Iris Stewart, Edith Hopkins, Brenda Young, Dorothy Cruickshank, Joyce McKay, Paty Sullivan, Alice Stewart and Master W. Reed.

Skiing at Forbidden Plateau

Among Victorians who stayed at Forbidden Plateau Lodge during the holiday season were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Adamson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hulett, Mrs. Louise Oandurand and Vickie, Miss Diane Southwell, Messrs. Anthony Webster, R. Marconi, Ron Nilson and A. W. Narraway.

Other Vancouver Islanders at the lodge were Mr. and Mrs. R. Holst-Larsen, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gibson, Duncan; Mr. and Mrs. J. Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Palmer, Maple Bay; Mr. Paul Steindlmuller, Crofton; Mr. and Mrs. Alec Walker, Honeycomb Bay; Mr. and Mrs. Al Byman, Nanaimo; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Pinckard, Mr. Malcolm Hodgins, Qualicum Beach; Miss Gloria Patterson, Kitimat.

IODE Meeting Hears Year-End Reports

At a meeting of Royal Chapter, IODE, Mrs. Percy Angus reported a bank balance of \$200. Mrs. A. McLure, ex-service personnel convenor, reported on her visit to the two adopted patients in Veterans' Hospital when she took a gift to each. Two hampers were donated by the members.

Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. G. Beevers and Mrs. D. E. Alcorn were the nominating committee. Several officers were returned to office by acclamation: Regent, Mrs. V. H. V. Sheppard; treasurer, Mrs. Percy Angus; educational secretary, Mrs. J. C. F. Blawie; standard bearer, Mrs. L. Trahan.

The annual dinner will be held in the Terra Cotta Room in February with Mrs. Angus and Mrs. Beevers in charge of arrangements.

A sum of \$5 was given to the British and European relief fund.

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WHILE NATION SUFFERS

Strike Brings Fuel Tax Boom

By The Canadian Press

The shadow of possible layoffs spread today among workers from coast to coast as a strike by 3,000 Canadian Pacific Railway firemen, completing its second day, began to affect industries and communities served by the railway.

Fuel and food shortages loomed in outposts points. The strike hit when most of the country was coping with below-freezing temperatures.

Thermometer readings ranged from 10 above in Halifax, 15 in Montreal and Ottawa and 13 in Winnipeg, to a relatively mild 40 in Vancouver.

INDUSTRIES HIT
Handicapped by fuel shortages, overstocked warehouses, dwindling supplies of essential materials for manufacturing processes, a variety of industries stopped or slowed down production. Others said they will have to do likewise if the strike continues.

The Canadian Gypsum Company at Windsor suspended employment for 400 employees, almost the entire payroll. The Nova Scotia Textile Company said its 240 employees may suffer similarly. Greenhouse operators began cancelling orders, saying shortages of fuel may force a close-down.

Points served by the Dominion Atlantic Railway, a CPR subsidiary, reported only 10 days' fuel on hand.

The pattern in Nova Scotia was paradoxical. On the credit side the port of Halifax faced a boom as Atlantic shipping was reported being diverted from Saint John, served in part by the CPR, to Halifax and its trans-continental Canadian National-Railways connections.

Following is a list of other principal non-railway employee layoffs across Canada. (Unemployed were time and daily wages losses.)

Princeton, B.C.—450 Granby Consolidated mine employees.

Trail, B.C.—125 Consolidated Mining & Smelting workers employed unloading freight cars.

Sudbury, Ont.—2,000 International Nickel Company workers.

Coleman, Alta.—350 Coleman Collieries coal miners.

Fernie, B.C.—300 Crow's Nest Pass Coal Co. Ltd. miners.

Bellevue and Blairmore, Alta.—650 Western Canadian Collieries Ltd. miners.

Drumheller, Alta.—135 Red Deer Valley Coal Co. Ltd. miners.

Rosedale, Alta.—120 Star Coal Mines workers.

Canmore, Alta.—300 Canmore Mines workers.

Total laid off since Jan. 2, 4,830.

MIDDLETON, N.S. (CP)—The International Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen (ILCE) Thursday night ordered picket lines removed from the Dominion Atlantic Railway depot here to permit a Canadian National Railway local to use DAR trackage.

The order came a few hours after striking DAR firemen halted the CNR's daily Bridge-water to Bridgetown local which uses DAR tracks through Middleton.

The DAR is a subsidiary of the strike-bound Canadian Pacific Railway.

The union's action will allow the CNR to deliver fuel and oil to Middleton and Bridgetown, from where it can be moved by truck to all Annapolis Valley points.

BLIND RIVER, Ont. (CP)—

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
ESTATE OF JAMES ELLIOTT TOWNS, deceased, otherwise known as JAMES TOWNS.

All creditors and persons having any claim or demands against the Estate of the above-named deceased who died on or about the 11th day of December, 1956, at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, are required to send to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of February, 1957, the names, addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and demands verified by Statutory Declaration.

After the said 4th day of February, 1957, the undersigned will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Estate among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims and demands of which he then shall have had notice, and that he will make final distribution of the assets at the expiration of one year after the death of the deceased.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 3rd day of January, 1957.

R. L. COX
Official Administrator.
Administrator of the Estate of the above-named Deceased, 319 Central Building, Victoria, B.C.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made on behalf of Joseph H. Arncliffe, John C. Braithwaite, John T. Cummins, Stephen A. Jennings, Archibald L. McCallan, John C. Poole and Sir John L. Williams, all of the City of Vancouver, Province of British Columbia, George W. Wilson, of the City of Trail, Province of British Columbia, and the undersigned, to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session, for an Act to incorporate Medical Services Association of British Columbia as a body corporate and to give it the power of acquiring and taking over as a going concern the undertaking presently carried on in the City of Vancouver and elsewhere in the Province of British Columbia of Medical Services Association, a society incorporated under the "Societies Act," with all of the assets and liabilities thereof, with power to furnish pre-paid medical, surgical and obstetrical care to groups, families and individuals on a non-profit, pre-payment and voluntary basis, and with such other powers as shall be conferred by such Act, or as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the objects and the exercise of the powers of the Association, including the power to purchase, sell, mortgage, lease or otherwise deal with real and personal property.

DATED at the City of Vancouver in the Province of British Columbia on the 20th day of December, A.D. 1956.

RENOMINATED BY ACCLAMATION

Campney Certain No Country Will Dare Start 3rd World War



IMPRESSIVE Esquimalt coat-of-arms and scroll, to be unveiled by Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross at a public ceremony in Esquimalt High School Jan. 23, arrived at the municipal hall today. Designed by Ottawa heraldry expert Alan Beddoe, the plaque is admired above by Reeve A. C. Wurtele. (Times Photo.)

Year in Jail On Two Car Theft Charges
(Special to the Times)
PORT ALBERNI—Nineteen-year-old Donald L. Gibson was sentenced to one year definite at the young offenders' unit, at Oakalla Prison on each of two car theft charges by Magistrate Thomas Patterson in police court here today.

Sentences are to run concurrently. Gibson was arrested after stealing a car here Nov. 17, driving to Victoria, and from a service station in Victoria stealing a credit card.

From Victoria he travelled to Vancouver and Seattle, purchasing gasoline, new tires, a battery and anti-freeze on the credit card.

After abandoning the car in Vancouver, Gibson returned to Port Alberni, and on Nov. 21, stole a second car, but was apprehended before leaving the valley.

TRAFFIC FINES
In Saanich court Thursday: Robert Douglas Ross, Sidney, \$40 and licence suspension, careless driving Dec. 27 when his car moved out to pass another car on Douglas near Dieppe, lost control, and hurtled onto a field 10 feet below where the light-metal vehicle turned over several times. Ross admitted he was exceeding the 50-mile-an-hour speed limit.

Lawrence Thomas Reed, 2515 Prior, \$35, speeding at 70 miles an hour in a 50-zone on Douglas. In city court today: Rodney W. Arney, 1140 Government, \$35, careless driving Aug. 1 when his car struck three pedestrians at Broad and Yates. Magistrate H. C. Hall observed that visibility was poor at the intersection and that Arney was driving very slowly because of a heavy rain, but said he had "failed in your duty to take reasonable care." One of the pedestrians was in hospital three months with a broken pelvis suffered in the mishap.

Patricia Caldwell Brown, 925 Stafford, \$35, careless driving Dec. 19, when her car collided with an oncoming car on Douglas after a cigarette fell in her lap and she "panicked" while groping for it. Damage to the two cars totalled \$300.

Harry Clarke, 1200 Towns, \$20, speeding at 45-50 miles an hour on Hillside.

Impaired Driver Pays \$250 Fine
Gordon G. Pettigrew, 3239 Rutledge, was fined \$250 or 21 days when he pleaded guilty in city police court Thursday to impaired driving.

Pettigrew was stopped at Rockland and Cook Saturday afternoon after his car had knocked over a telephone pole on Fairfield near Linden.

Counsel George Gregory said Pettigrew had taken two "quietening pills" after a few drinks and remembered nothing of the accident.

Raymond Massey's Son Debut Rated 'Winning Performance'
NEW YORK (CP)—Another member of the Massey acting clan made his Broadway debut on Thursday night in a widely hailed production of the last play of Robert E. Sherwood, who died in 1955.

Daniel Massey, son of the famed actor Raymond and nephew of

Canada's governor-general, gave what one reviewer called a "winning performance" as a young British officer in "Small War on Murray Hill."

Earlier in the season his sister Anne made a triumphant debut here in "The Reluctant Debutante."

VANCOUVER (CP)—Defence Minister Campney said Thursday night he does not think any nation "will dare start" a third world war.

"But I do think, and recent history shows it, that there will be small wars with conventional weapons," he told a meeting of the Liberal Association of Vancouver Centre, which he represents in the House of Commons.

Canada's defence policy is to build strong alliances, defence forces and radar warning screens to avert the horrors of a thermo-nuclear war, he said.

NO CUTS SEEN
Mr. Campney saw little hope of cutting Canada's defence budget.

The modernization demanded of adequate defence forces will mean rising costs as weapons become obsolete and are replaced with newer ones, he said.

"That is why I am not too optimistic at the present time about the reduction of defence expenditures."

"But we do have the hope of maintaining the freedom of the world without war."

Mr. Campney was renominated by acclamation at the meeting to represent Vancouver Centre in the next federal election.

He forecast that he would achieve a record-breaking victory.

"We can if we will, and I know we will, take this riding by the biggest majority ever seen."

To fulfill his prediction, Mr. Campney will have to double the support he won at the federal election in 1952. He had a plurality of 3,313.

CONSERVATIVE RECORD
The record for the riding was set in 1917 when H. H. Stevens, Conservative member of Parliament, won by a 8,179-vote margin.

Fisheries Minister James Sinclair made a surprise appearance at the convention.

He supported Mr. Campney's prediction for another Liberal victory across Canada.

"Louis St. Laurent holds a greater place in the hearts of Canadians today than he did even when he was first elected," Mr. Sinclair said.

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The other 50 per cent of money collected from sale of the bottles will be used to send Victoria representatives to provincial Demolay meetings in Vancouver each month.

All types of bottles will be collected and to ensure pick-up, residents may phone Walter Dakers at 3-9692 or Alex Lacey at 2-5296.

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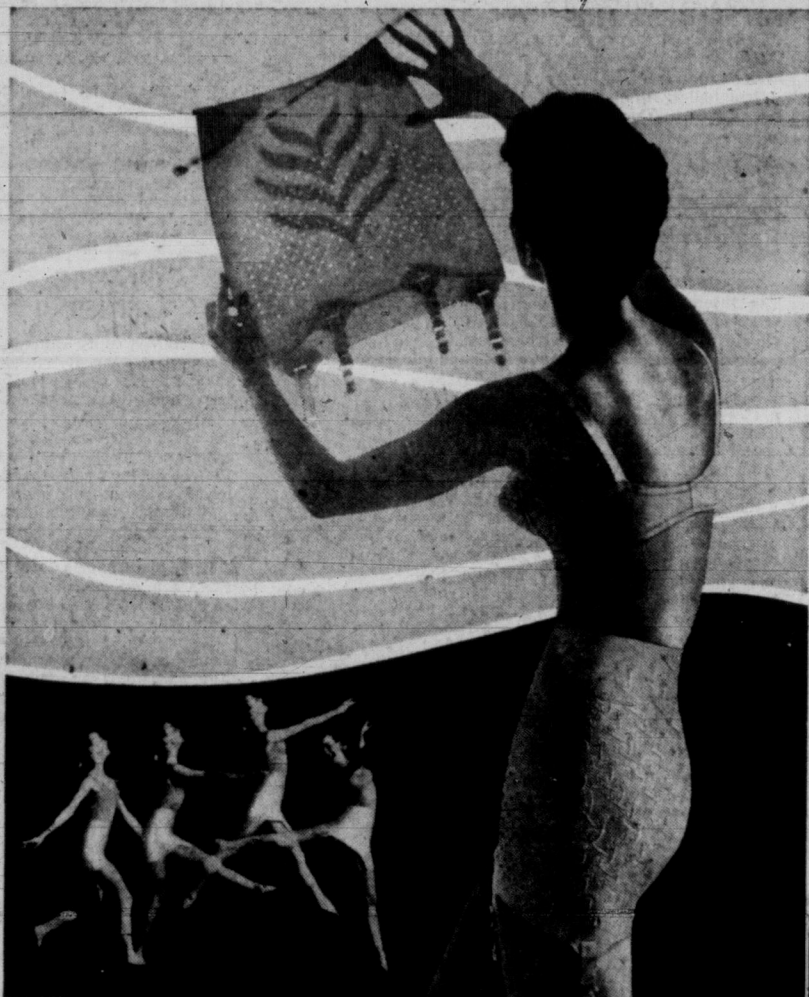
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UNION CHIEF GUARDED AFTER VIOLENCE THREATS

MONTREAL (BUP) — Dorval police today guarded the home of union chief William Gamble, whose Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen members are on strike against the Canadian Pacific Railways, following two telephone threats of physical violence.

Gamble disclosed that the calls threatened physical harm to him and his family. There also was a threat to blow up his home.

The callers were "very abusive," he said. A police spokesman said a patrol car had been ordered to check the home at frequent intervals, but that no round-the-clock guard had been established.

Gamble lives in an area where most residents normally commute to offices in Montreal on now-idle Canadian Pacific trains. The strike has forced them to switch to the less convenient Canadian National Railway, and to buses and car pools.

McMahon Plans \$100 Millions In New Projects

VANCOUVER (CP) — Plan to spend \$55,000,000 to increase capacity of the Peace River gas pipeline from a projected 400,000,000 cubic feet per day to 660,000,000 cubic feet was announced today by Westcoast Transmission Co. Ltd. as part of a \$100,000,000 expansion program.

Included is construction of a new sulphur plant in south-western Alberta and a new natural gas pipeline from Savannah to southeastern B.C. and the U.S. border.

Builders of the \$170,000,000 natural gas line through British Columbia from the Peace River area to the U.S. border, Westcoast said a contract has been signed with Phillips Petroleum Co. of Bartlesville, Okla., for gas in the Savannah Creek area in Southern Alberta, near the B.C. border.

Another contract has been signed for export of the gas via Kingsgate, B.C., with Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corporation of Houston, Texas. It is the same company with which West-

TWO PHASES

Frank McMahon, president of Westcoast who made the announcement, said the program will be divided into two phases. Of the total, \$55,000,000 will be spent to increase the capacity of the 30-inch Peace River line to 660,000,000 cubic feet a day from a planned 400,000,000 cubic feet a day.

This will mean additional compressor stations and other facilities, said Mr. McMahon, adding that the increased flow is necessary to meet greatly in-

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KIDNAPPED OR WHAT?

Police Hunt 'The Body'

VAN NUYS, Calif. (AP) — Actress Marie (The Body) McDonald vanished from her home early today, and police were investigating whether she had been kidnapped.

Police said the actress telephoned a film columnist today to say she was being held captive by two young men.

The blonde beauty's mother, Mrs. Marie Tuboni of nearby Woodland Hills, told police she received a phone call at 12:45 a.m. at her own home. A "male, young, nervous voice" told her: "We have Marie. No harm will come to her if police are not notified."

The mother called police, then rushed to her daughter's home in Encino. She found the front door ajar and lights blazing in Miss McDonald's bedroom.

SERVANTS ASLEEP

The three house servants were sleeping.

Soon after the call to Mrs. Tuboni, the 32-year-old actress' former husband, wealthy shoe manufacturer Harry Karl, received a call.

"We have your wife," he quoted the male caller. "If you want to see her alive again, don't contact police. We'll contact you later."

Found in Miss McDonald's mailbox, police said, was a pencilled note not in her handwriting. It read: "Don't call police. She won't be hurt to get money. We'll get in touch with you."

Actor Michael Wilding, former husband of actress Elizabeth Taylor, has been Miss McDonald's escort in recent months. He told police he visited her Thursday night but left about 7 p.m.

The 32-year-old actress, tagged

Hint St. Laurent Action Soon To Seek Rail Strike Solution

ONE FROM B.C.

Four New Senators Appointed

Sydney J. Smith, Kamloops businessman and one of British Columbia's most prominent Liberals, was named to the Senate today.

He was one of four new senators whose appointments were announced in Ottawa by Prime Minister St. Laurent.

The others are: Austin C. Taylor, 63, Salisbury, N.B., former New Brunswick agriculture minister; Henri C. Bois, 59, agronomist from St. Bruno, Que.; William Boucher, 67, a farmer from Prince Albert, Sask., and former member of the Commons.

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Democrat Bucks Ike's Plan For Mid-East

(See also Page 3.) WASHINGTON (AP) — Senator Mike Mansfield (Dem., Mont.) called on President Eisenhower today to give the United States Congress an estimate of the "costs and of the dangers" involved in his proposal for thwarting possible Red aggression in the Middle East.

Mansfield, a member of the Senate foreign relations committee, said Eisenhower should provide this information when he appears before a joint session Saturday.

The president will go before an unusual Saturday joint session to press for approval of a resolution which would:

1. Give him advance authority to use U.S. military might if he feels such a move necessary to block Russian intrusion into the Middle East.

2. Authorize the spending of \$400,000,000 over a two-year period beginning next July for economic aid to countries in the strife-ravaged area.

Adlai E. Stevenson, defeated Democratic presidential candidate, said in a statement that Eisenhower "is evidently trying frantically to fill the vacuum that his own policy helped create before Russia does."

Maclean Becomes Judge On Feb. 1

Appointment of H. Alan Maclean, QC, deputy attorney-general for B.C., as a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, was announced in Ottawa today by Justice Minister Stuart Garson.

The appointment is effective Feb. 1.

Mr. Maclean will take the place of Mr. Justice H. S. Wood, who has retired.

His appointment will bring the number of Supreme Court justices in B.C. up to 11, full authorized strength.

Mr. Garson's announcement ends speculation regarding the appointment which has been expected for some weeks.

Attorney-General Robert Bonner said today there would be no immediate announcement of a successor to Mr. Maclean.

Assistant deputy attorney-general is Gilbert P. Hogg, former legislative counsel, whose appointment as Queen's Counsel was announced by the provincial cabinet Wednesday.

Mr. Maclean joined the attorney-general's department 22 years ago as departmental solicitor, and was assistant deputy for 10 years before his appointment as deputy in July, 1954.

He succeeded Lieut.-Col. Eric Pepler, QC.

Mr. Maclean was born in Victoria in 1903, son of H. A. Maclean, KC, who was himself a former deputy attorney-general of the province.

EDUCATED HERE

He was educated at Victoria schools, Victoria College, and McGill University, Montreal.

Following graduation, he was articled to his father, who was at that time practising law here, and was called to the bar in 1927.

He practised law in Kamloops and Vancouver and joined the attorney-general's department as departmental solicitor in 1934.

He was appointed a King's Counsel in 1950.

Mr. Maclean has acted as counsel for the government in courts all over the country, and the Privy Council. He is married and has two children.

His home is at 2848 Dewdney Avenue, Oak Bay.



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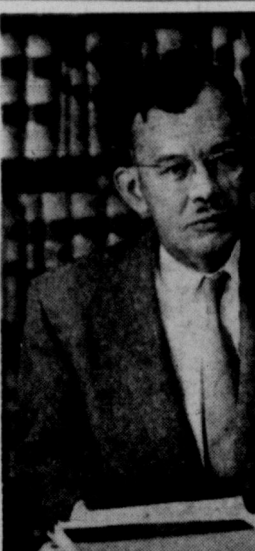
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H. ALAN MACLEAN, QC... joins B.C. Supreme Court.

STRIKE DEVELOPMENTS

1. St. Laurent may act by Monday.
2. Full ferry tie-up still threatens.
3. Gamble threatened; home guarded.
4. CPR express here closes down.
5. Production loss in Canada to be \$10 millions daily.
6. Number of jobless grows.
7. Halifax gets shipping boom. (See Page 21.)

W. Coast Ship Escapes Tie-Up

Princess of Alberni Only Vessel Still Carrying Freight on Coast

Mv. Princess of Alberni, scheduled to sail this afternoon from Vancouver for west coast of Vancouver Island ports, is the only CPR ship still carrying freight to B.C. ports.

Fully loaded, and with crew aboard, she has been undergoing minor engine repairs. Her departure will bring a temporary end to possible hardships for Island residents who depend on the small CPR vessel for supplies.

Although CPR ferries between Victoria and Vancouver, Nanaimo and Vancouver, and Victoria and Seattle are maintaining schedule, the threat of a tie-up continues.

The ferries have stopped carrying freight.

A meeting of the B.C. Federation of Labor at Vancouver, slated for 2 p.m. today, may decide whether the ships continue in service at all, and whether truckers will handle freight across picket lines set up by the striking railway firemen.

ALLOUT SUPPORT BY BCLF

George Home, secretary of the federation, said Thursday: "There is no doubt" that the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen "will receive all-out support" from the meeting.

"What we will try to determine," Mr. Home said, "is how far the strike picket line extends—if the strike is against the CPR company or the CPR system."

Since the firemen's strike began Wednesday at 4 p.m. across the country, some crew members have remained aboard their coastal ships rather than cross the picket lines. Others have gone through the lines.

Mr. Home said the line at the CPR ferry dock in Vancouver was "a last-minute move. Some of the unions don't know whether to respect it or not and they won't know until we discuss the matter fully."

No wharf pickets have been set up in Victoria.

Picket lines at docks used by

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Move Suggested Before Parliament Meets Next Week

By VICTOR J. MACKIE, Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—Prime Minister St. Laurent may decide to meet with heads of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen (CLC), and the Canadian Pacific Railway early next week, in a final effort to bring about a settlement of the railway strike, before calling upon Parliament to act.

(The Canadian Press, in a report from Ottawa, quoted Mr. St. Laurent as saying something may be disclosed after Monday's cabinet meeting, the final ministerial session before Parliament opens on Tuesday.)

Should such a meeting come about it is believed the Prime Minister would propose the referring of the questions at issue to the Board of Transport Commissioners for a detailed study and report, or the establishment of an independent tribunal to do that job.

While the study was being made the CPR would resume operations.

The Board of Transport Com-

missioners has the power to make decisions on what has become the main strike issue.

The union has refused to accept the CPR management's decision to do away with firemen in diesels on yard and freight service. But section 290 of the Railway Act gives the board power in "designating the number of men to be employed upon trains with a view to the safety of the public and of the employees."

The CPR has agreed to go to the board. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen has not agreed to submit the issue to the board. No one yet has sought the opinion of the board on the issue.

Personal Intervention Last Resort

Government sources said there was the possibility that the prime minister as a last resort, before going to parliament, might personally intervene to bring the two parties together and use the weight of his high office and his personal prestige to try to persuade union and management to reach a settlement.

Both Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, as acting prime minister, and Hon. M. F. Gregg, minister of labor, failed to settle the dispute in 10 hours of talks last Saturday and again Monday.

The government is reluctant to have to resort to the passage of special legislation forcing an end to the strike. If the union

and CPR management can be possibly persuaded to find some basis for settlement this would be far preferable to having parliament intervene as far as the government is concerned.

There is a precedent for the Prime Minister taking such action. Mr. St. Laurent called the disputing parties together in 1950. But at that time he met with no success. Parliament was used to settle that issue.

In 1953 the Prime Minister was able to prevent a walkout and lay the basis for a settlement, three days before the strike deadline, as a result of his discussions with labor and management. It was a personal triumph.

\$10,000,000 Production Loss Daily

Late Thursday night, spokesmen for the company and firemen said their positions are unchanged. No overtime had been made by either side.

About 70,000 of the company's employees are idle in the strike, called by 3,000 firemen on issues of wages and the role of diesel firemen-helpers.

While centres fed solely by

the CPR coped with problems of fuel, food, mail and other details, federal economists suggested at Ottawa the strike may snip \$10,000,000 daily from Canada's national production over its first week. After that, the slice might rise as high as \$10,000,000 daily.

Any such loss over a prolonged period could have a serious impact on a national production estimated to reach a record of more than \$31,000,000,000 this year, sharply higher than last year's \$29,700,000,000.

One Killed, 2 Critical

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. (AP) — A 76-year-old pensioner, Bill Cramer, climaxed an argument over his welfare cheques by pulling out a pistol and shooting a commissioner and two welfare workers here today.

Fred Peterson, a welfare worker, died a short time later. The others were in critical condition.

Israel Pull-Out Talks

JERUSALEM (Reuters) — Maj. Gen. E. L. M. Burns and the Israeli chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Moshe Dayan, met today for further talks on the withdrawal timetable of Israeli forces from the Sinai Peninsula.

GEORGE IN GOOD CONDITION

City Boy's Heart Stopped In Touch-and-Go Surgery

Flow of blood to the heart of a 10-year-old boy was halted for three minutes during a history-making operation at Royal Jubilee Hospital recently, it was confirmed today.

The rare technique, developed in Europe and tried sparingly since, was never before attempted in the city.

The success of the operation enables George Exley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Exley, 1216 Pembroke, to look forward to sports and normal

boyhood pursuits he has never enjoyed before.

The youngster was born with a hole in a wall separating two main chambers of the heart.

A Victoria surgeon—anonymous because of medical profession ethics—carried out two operations, using a technique developed in Copenhagen and seldom used before in this country.

In order to mend the hole a large vein bringing blood to the heart was constricted,

stopping the flow and the heart for about three minutes. All repairs to the vital organ had to be completed in that short time as to stop the heart for longer would mean probable brain damage, medical experts stated.

The operation was conducted in two phases, the first on Nov. 13. The second, carried out Dec. 18, lasted four and a half hours.

George is in good condition in his third week of convalescence.

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2 SEARCHERS DIE ON PEAK

AOMORI, Japan (AP)—Bitter cold killed two men in a nine-man search party on the treacherous slopes of Mount Hakodade today. Two others are missing and feared dead. The nine started out Thursday night to hunt for a missing skier, now believed dead.

SHIPS

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CPR ships have been respected by truck drivers and no cargo has been handled on them.

The firemen aim to immobilize the company's direct shipping links with the railway, a union official said.

If the 950 men employed on the West Coast CPR ships went on strike in sympathy with the firemen, seven ships would be affected.

Five ferries provide daily service between Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo and Seattle. There is one return trip a day between Vancouver and Victoria and between Victoria and Seattle. Eight return trips are made daily between Vancouver and Nanaimo.

Black Ball Ferries Ltd., which would be unaffected, also operates a service to Nanaimo from Horseshoe Bay on Howe Sound and has said it will provide 24-hour service if necessary.

Nothing was finalized Thursday at a meeting of the Maritime Port Council, comprised of nine international unions controlling seamen, dockworkers, and truck drivers.

W. L. Druce, international vice-president of firemen, said "We have been given a definite assurance our picket lines will be respected."

Charles Gower, secretary of the district Council of Teamsters, said the council "unanimously endorsed strike action." Today's meeting will refer any final decision to the Canadian Labor Congress in Ottawa for approval.

Time, Digest Pay New Tax; Others Quit

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's new tax on Canadian editions of foreign magazines—announced in the federal budget last March—has gone into effect with the new year. Apparently only Time and Reader's Digest will pay the tax at present.

Four other publications—Parents Magazine, Family Circle, Woman's Day and Canadian Farm Chemicals—which had Canadian editions when the tax was announced, have discontinued them. Another American magazine, Better Living, which also had a Canadian edition, has itself ceased publication. Religious and medical magazines are exempt.

Both Time and Reader's Digest have raised their advertising rates to cover the tax. On the basis of 1955 figures it is estimated they will pay an additional \$900,000 in taxes.

Lollo Is Enceinte

ROME (Reuters)—Italian actress Gina Lollobrigida announced Thursday night she is expecting a baby—"I hope a girl"—next July. Gina and her husband, Dr. Milko Skofic, who were married in January, 1949, said they were delighted.

BACKACHE Maybe Warning

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SENATORS

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The appointments—for life terms at \$10,000 a year—cut vacancies in the 102-seat upper chamber to 14 from 18. All of the new appointees are Liberals.

Mr. Smith, 64, was elected to the B.C. legislature in 1949 and was defeated in his bid for reelection in 1952 by Highways Minister P. A. Gallagher.

He first became prominent in provincial Liberal party affairs at the 1947 convention of the B.C. Liberal Association, and in 1949 was elected first vice-president.

He was elected president in 1953 and held the position until last year.

As a member of the legislature he was chairman of the B.C. hospital insurance committee which made an extensive review of the operations of the B.C.H.S.

CAR DEALER

Born in Ottawa, Mr. Smith has been an automobile dealer in Kamloops since the mid-thirties, and also holds executive positions in hop plantations and dairy operations in the Kamloops area.

He is married, and has two grown sons and a daughter. He is a member of the United Church.

Mr. Boucher, 67-year-old farmer, is a former Liberal member of the Commons, who represented Rosthern, Sask., from 1948 to 1953. A reeve for the municipality of St. Louis for 16 years, he also was director of the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities for six years and a director of the Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League for 12 years. He is a Roman Catholic.

RANCHER

Mr. Taylor, 63, is a former New Brunswick minister of agriculture—1935-52—and was elected leader of the N.B. Liberal party in 1954. He is a farmer, fox rancher and merchant. He is a Baptist.

Mr. Bois, 59, an agronomist, is president and general manager of the Co-operative Federée de Québec, Quebec's largest agricultural co-operative. He is a Roman Catholic.

These are the first appointments to the Upper Chamber since July, 1955. At that time Mr. St. Laurent appointed 13 senators, including one Conservative and one woman. There now are five women in the chamber.

The vacancies by province: Newfoundland, one; Nova Scotia, one; New Brunswick, two; Quebec, five; Ontario, two; Manitoba, one; Saskatchewan, one; Alberta, one. Current standing in the Senate: Liberals, 80; Conservatives, 5; Independent Liberals, 1; Independent, 2; vacancies, 14.

MOUNTAIN SPOT

Interlaken in the Swiss Alps gets its name from "Inter Lacus" an Augustinian monastery founded in 1133.

McMAHON

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Increased demands for natural gas since the project was originally planned.

Prime user will be Pacific Northwest Pipeline in the U.S. but both B.C. Electric Co. and Inland Natural Gas have increased their planned volume for use in B.C.

NEW FIELDS

The second phase costing \$45,000,000 will include a 174-mile, 30-inch pipeline from newly discovered gas fields in Savanna owned by Phillips to Southeastern B.C.

Also included in this phase, said Mr. McMahon, is construction of a 500-ton-a-day sulphur plant in Southwestern Alberta.

The new pipeline will serve Coleman, Blairmore and other areas in Alberta and Naial, Michel, Cranbrook, Fernie, Kimberley and other southeastern B.C. towns.

"When the pipeline is completed from Savanna Creek field to Kingsgate, it will mean that we have assured natural gas service for practically every community in B.C.," said Mr. McMahon.

"In addition (the new pipeline) will give an incentive to renewed exploration and drilling activities in the Flathead district of southeastern B.C. which has always been considered potentially favorable to oil and gas discoveries," said Mr. McMahon.

70% COMPLETE

Construction of the Peace River line went into high gear in 1956 and now is more than 70 per cent complete. Gas is scheduled to flow by fall this year.

The project includes a \$15,000,000 gas processing plant at Taylor, B.C., in the Peace River. Mr. McMahon said he believed the gas reserves of northern Alberta and B.C. "may some day be ranked among the greatest on the continent."

He said the proposed merger of Pacific Northwest and El Paso Natural Gas Co.—two major U.S. natural gas pipelines to serve the Pacific Coast, Colorado and the U.S. Midwest—will provide a huge market area for surplus Canadian gas.

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ROCK 'N' ROLL HERO MAY SOON SLOG 'N' 'SHUN

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP)—Rock 'n' roll singer Elvis Presley reports today for a pre-induction physical examination, the army recruiting service announced.

Sgt. Sy Silin, a public information officer, said it would probably be six months to a year before Presley, 22, will be called up if he passes the physical examination. Presley wasn't immediately available for comment.



AIDED PROBE—Major Peter MacKinnon, of Revelstoke, B.C., took part in early investigation into death by asphyxiation of Lieut. Anthony Moorhouse, British officer kidnapped in Egypt. Thursday the British War Office announced Scotland Yard's top medical expert is en route to Naples to continue probe into cause of Moorhouse's death. (CP Photo.)

TALKS WITH WIFE

Cut in Half, Man Lives Five Hours

HANNIBAL, Mo. (AP)—A man whose body was severed just below the waist Thursday amazed physicians by living for more than five hours, fully conscious and able to talk rationally until an anesthetic was administered.

"I never heard of such a thing," said Dr. J. W. Well, the attending physician at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. "Neither had any of the other doctors who came in to look at him."

John Bobbitt, 46, was severed across the abdomen by a switch engine at 10:35 a.m.

He appeared to be in little pain and talked rationally with several persons, including his wife, his minister and physicians for three hours until the anesthetic was administered at 1:30 p.m. He finally died of shock at 3:45 p.m. without regaining consciousness.

One reason Bobbitt survived so long was that the crushing injury sealed off blood vessels and there was almost no bleeding, Dr. Well said. He realized his condition from the first and was told that he would die.

JUSTICE IN HOSPITAL

VANCOUVER — Mr. Justice H. W. McInnes went into Vancouver General Hospital Thursday to undergo an operation.

He expects to be away from his judicial duties for about three weeks.

Self-Employed Try Again To Get Tax Exemptions On Pension Plans

OTTAWA (CP)—Spokesmen for Canadian accountants and lawyers today renewed their appeal to the government to allow self-employed persons the same tax exemptions granted employees on payments made to retirement or pension schemes.

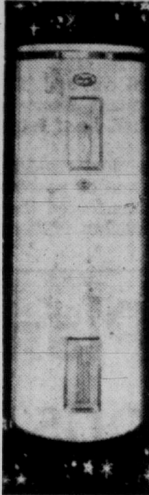
A similar plea was made in previous years and rejected, partly on the ground there is no technical need to grant professional classes a tax postponement on savings and that such a move might reduce the amount of risk capital available for stock purchases.

The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants and the Canadian Bar Association, in a joint brief to Finance Minister Harris, charged that the present policy is discriminatory: It allowed one group of taxpayers to deduct pension payments but refused the same right to other groups such as doctors, lawyers, storekeepers and self-employed farmers and fishermen.

Employees contributing to an approved or registered pension plan are allowed to claim the payments as an income tax deduction. When the worker retires and starts collecting his pension or annuity, the income he receives then becomes taxable.

Federal authorities describe this as a postponement of tax. In contrast, the self-employed payments. They argue that employees should get this postponement because their pension pay- he pleases.

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'Can Spring Be Far Behind?'

THE veteran in our office who has seen many winters — more winters than I believe — cautions against meteorological optimism at this time.

"Young man," he says, "I accept the flattering designation happily. 'It's too early yet to be thinking of spring. Let me tell you. It was February in 1916...' and away we go. Before you can say 'thermostat' we're neck deep in the Big Snow."

The veteran in our office could be completely justified in his pessimism. We could have intense cold and heavy snow before the daffodils thrust their spears through the ground.

But already random snowdrops have slipped quietly into bloom. The twig ends of red current show the tight-furled swellings of new leaf. Small, mysterious shoots are poking above the ground in our border-weeds. I'd guess — and a man's entitled to dream of softer days ahead.

ENCOURAGING VISION

It's about the most encouraging vision he can have at this season. It promises some exercise and relief from the firmly-packed layer of lard the Christmas season has stacked inside his waistband. And it gives him the opportunity, almost the compulsion, to draught his programs for the year ahead. There's lots to do.

If you live on the waterfront, you don't own a waterfront lot. It owns you. The sea giveth and the sea taketh away — most especially doth it take away boat slips, masonry and construction in general below high water.

Cliff Carl can explain that to you. He knows about the force of water. He'll tell the strength of a two-foot wave compared to that of a one-foot wave and the multiplication is astonishing.

Actually there isn't too much satisfaction in knowing this scientific data as you watch the concrete you've poured some years ago gradually erode and crumble under the pound of seas piling in from the south-southeast, but it helps you to give the answers to the curious.

And it keeps you from developing the Ozymandias complex, or at least gives it a different twist. You can call on the mighty

to gaze on your works, but it's you who despair.

So in these grey days you watch the things you've spent a hunk of your life for broken and, mentally at least, stoop to build them up again with worn-out tools. Come spring, there's more concrete to be mixed and dumped on marine rocks carefully scoured with a quicklime wash beforehand. There's a slip to be renewed. There's work to be done to launch a small boat safely. There are supports to check on the boathouse. And then — as if the lady of the house would let you forget it — there's dirt to be turned in the garden.

Beyond that, there's work ahead at the lake where Providence willing — a man may finally complete his digging through hardpan and start construction of a basement and a couple of lean-to rooms.

This is the time to think about it and plan. There is no agony in planning. You merely map out in your mind what you intend to do. That doesn't put kinks in your back, or aches in your arms and legs. It serves only to suggest that maybe the slight midriff discomfort of the present may diminish as the honest sweat pours from the pumping action of a shovel, digging excavations or mixing concrete.

JOYS OF SPRINGTIME

It is a time, too, for the anticipation of springtime's eternal joys. The lake will echo to the song of returning birds. Squirrels will scold human intruders from the trees. At night the starshine will be garnished by the symphony of frogs. Foot-paths will yield the soft comfort of pine-needle padding underfoot. Trees will stand in what the poet calls that "mist of green with nothing perfect." Trilliums will be scattered stars, white, pink and mauve, in their shade. Brook violets will bow their shy heads by marsh and stream.

On the water the trout will begin to rise and from the neglected cabins will come the friendly noise of occupants returning.

By the seashore a strengthening sun will splash fresh brightness on the waves. The gulls will renew their rowdy play. The bank will take on the tender green of the season, and the human heart will believe with Browning that "all is right with the world."

Now's the time to think about it all. Come spring you won't notice the sights for the sweat running into your eyes as you bend over a shovel. You won't hear anything but a ringing in the ears as an unaccustomed body returns to infrequent labor.

YOUR HEALTH

By DR. WALTER C. ALVAREZ

Neglect of the Mentally III

Dr. Alvarez is Emeritus Consultant in Medicine, Mayo Clinic and Emeritus Professor of Medicine, Mayo Foundation.

I keep getting letters from persons who say, "I wish you would quit harping on mental troubles and heredity. My family is shot full of insanity, alcoholism and epilepsy, and so I just don't want to hear a word about such troubles. Talk about muscular dystrophy, and multiple sclerosis if you want to, but leave mental disease alone."

As Mike Gorman of the National Mental Health Committee of Washington, D.C., said the other day, this is the attitude of most laymen, and I am ashamed to say, of most physicians today. None of us want anything to do with the greatest medical problem that faces the country. I can practice 10 years without seeing a case of muscular dystrophy or multiple sclerosis, but every day I see men and women who are mentally upset and in need of psychiatric help. As Mr. Gorman pointed out so forcibly, every other hospital bed in the land is occupied by an insane person, and for every mentally disturbed patient in a hospital there are 20 outside — many of them a terrible problem to their relatives.

Every week a number of mothers with a mentally disturbed son ask me what to do. The lad is not insane enough, or insane all the time, to be committed; but he is unemployable; perhaps he is travelling around, charging things to his parents and rapidly using up their meagre savings. What can the mother do? To whom can she appeal? How can she get her son into a mental hospital when he sees no need for being treated? Where can she find a psychiatrist willing to struggle with the problem of a hostile and impetuous man who will not admit that he is ill? I am sorry to say I do not know the answers.

Let us say that we talk the lad into going to the nearest provincial or state hospital. Will he be happy there? No. He may well be so upset by the conditions in an antiquated and badly over-crowded institution that he will be worse. As Mr. Gorman says, the conditions in many of our state hospitals are a disgrace to our civilization.



Dr. Alvarez

Will the man get good treatment? He may or he may not, depending on the generosity or the niggardliness of the legislature in that particular province. As my good friend, the medical superintendent of the mental hospital in a poor state used to say to me, sadly, "How can I do anything for my patients when there are several hundred of them and I have only one assistant?"

And if the lad goes into a hospital and comes out well — will he be able to find a job? Read Mrs. Hackett's book "The Cliff's Edge" (McGraw Hill) and learn that the man who has just been discharged from a mental hospital cannot get a job even as a laborer — no one will have him. Thank God for the few kind men who today are trying to combat this situation!

A while ago the father of a criminally psychotic boy wrote me: "No one will take him until he kills some child, and this I expect him to do any day." Mr. Gorman keeps pointing out that U.S. laws and methods for handling the mentally disturbed are antiquated. But Canada has shown that many disturbed persons can be taken care of in either "day" or "night" hospitals. The man may be in a hospital during the day, getting treatment, and at night he returns to his home. Or he works all day and stays in the hospital at night.

If many general hospitals had a division in which disturbed persons could be helped, these persons would not get the terrible stigma of having been in an "insane asylum." As I see it, there is a tremendous need for part-pay centres to which puzzled relatives of a mentally upset person could go for information and for advice as to the best way to handle and care for their loved one. Perhaps there could be persons — not policemen with a police wagon — but kindly, well-trained men who could come to a home in an ordinary car and try to talk the patient into going with them for a few weeks of expert treatment in one wing of a general hospital.

As Mr. Gorman says, this terrible problem cannot be solved until the public and the medical profession take some interest in it. So far we doctors have paid no attention to the situation; we have never visited a mental hospital, and like most people, we have not wanted ever to hear a word about the care of the mentally upset.

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1957 4.6 hrs.
Last year 3.5 hrs.
Precip. to date09 ins.
Last year48 ins.

SYNOPSIS — There is occasional light snow throughout the interior and temperatures will remain below freezing in most areas through the day.

Along the coast there is patchy cloud but there will be sunny skies along the lower mainland. Temperatures will be a little cooler and there will be frost tonight.

There is a weak disturbance in the Gulf of Alaska which is expected to bring cloud and a few showers to the north coast on Saturday.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
9 A.M. FORECASTS

Valid until midnight Saturday

Victoria: Cloudy with a few sunny intervals today and Saturday. A little cooler tonight.

Wind occasionally north 15 otherwise light. Low tonight and high Saturday 35 and 45.

Vancouver: Mostly sunny today and Saturday becoming cloudy Saturday evening. A little cooler. Light winds occasionally northeast 15 in the

Fraser Valley. Low tonight and high Saturday at Vancouver 27 and 38.
Georgia Strait: Mostly cloudy with occasional very light showers today and Saturday. A little cooler tonight. Light winds. Low tonight and high Saturday at Nanaimo 30 and 38.

West Coast — Mostly sunny today and Saturday morning. Cloudy Saturday afternoon and evening. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low tonight and high Saturday at Estevan Point 35 and 42.

TEMPERATURE YESTERDAY

Min. Max. Prep.

Victoria 35 41 trace

ONE YEAR AGO

Victoria 35 41 .30

ACROSS CANADA

St. Johns 15 23 .02

Halifax 10 14 .01

Montreal 12 18 .42

Ottawa 14 22 .35

Toronto 26 30 .02

Port Arthur 10 22 .01

Winnipeg -10 15 .01

Regina -11 13 .01

Saskatoon 1 15 trace

Lethbridge 2 23 .01

Calgary 7 24 .01

Edmonton 3 17 .01

Kamloops 20 33 .02

Penticton 30 35 .02

Vancouver 31 40 trace

Kimberley 23 30 trace

Prince Rupert 33 39 24
Prince George 14 16 23
Fort St. John 4 24 .01
Whitehorse 7 26 .01
Seattle 36 42 .01
Portland 36 41 .01
Chicago 26 35 .04
Los Angeles 49 66 .01
New York 31 33 .01
N. Westminster 29 40 .01

Sunrise, Sunset Saturday
Sunrise 8.06 Sunset 16.33

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)

Time	High	Low	Time	High	Low
4:40	9.0	14.24	8:11	10.8	13.3
6:14	9.0	14.24	9:12	10.8	13.3
7:34	9.1	13.23	7.4	10.8	13.3
7:44	9.2	12.14	8.8	10.6	12.14
8:02	9.2	11.05	9.25	10.4	11.05
8:21	9.3	10.00	9.43	10.3	10.00
8:44	9.4	9.00	9.58	10.2	9.00
9:13	10.0	8.00	10.13	10.1	8.00
9:31	10.2	7.00	10.26	10.1	7.00
9:38	10.4	6.00	10.36	10.1	6.00
10:11	10.3	5.00	10.56	10.1	5.00

TIDES AT POINT ATKINSON
(Pacific Standard Time)

Time	High	Low	Time	High	Low
4:17	10.1	14.40	8:01	11.9	13.0
5:44	10.1	13.37	9:01	11.9	13.0
6:14	10.2	12.30	10:01	11.9	13.0
7:34	10.3	11.23	11:01	11.9	13.0
7:44	10.4	10.16	12:01	11.9	13.0
8:02	10.5	9.10	1:01	11.9	13.0
8:21	10.6	8.03	2:01	11.9	13.0
8:44	10.7	7.00	3:01	11.9	13.0
9:13	10.8	6.00	4:01	11.9	13.0
9:31	10.9	5.00	5:01	11.9	13.0
9:38	11.0	4.00	6:01	11.9	13.0
10:11	11.1	3.00	7:01	11.9	13.0
10:26	11.2	2.00	8:01	11.9	13.0
10:56	11.3	1.00	9:01	11.9	13.0

SAANICH INLET

To determine tides in Saanich Inlet area: For higher high water deduct 14 minutes; for lower low water deduct 33 minutes; for half-tides those other than highest and lowest deduct 33 minutes.

COWICHAN BAY

To determine tides Cowichan Bay area: For higher high water deduct 16 minutes; for lower low water deduct 35 minutes; for half-tides deduct 35 minutes.



BATTALION TO STAY LONGER?

QORs to Round Out Recruits' Training

By AB KENT

An expanded role for Second Battalion Queen's Own Rifles of Canada at Camp Gordon Head indicates the infantry unit will remain in Victoria at least another four months.

The battalion has been charged with final recruit training of new platoons from its Calgary depot of QORs, and with providing the same training facilities for recruit platoons from Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, Edmonton, until spring arrives at prairie training grounds.

Second Battalion, QORs, was expected to be stationed at Camp Gordon Head between 18 months and two years from the time it arrived in June, 1955.

Army headquarters has announced no change in these plans during that time, although speculation regarding a permanent move has been strong.

Commanding Officer Lt.-Col. R. F. MacKay said certain phases of recruit training which it is not possible to carry out in Alberta at this time of year have been handed over to the battalion in a continuing program until spring.

GOOD WEATHER

Training facilities in the Victoria area — at Camp Gordon Head, Albert Head, Fort Mary Hill, Heel's Range and other unspecified areas — are available the year round because of favorable weather.

First platoon of QOR recruits from Calgary is expected to arrive at Camp Gordon Head Sat.

Calgarian Named To Langford, Colwood Parishes

Rev. John F. Page, assistant priest at St. Stephen's Church, Calgary, has been appointed rector of St. John's Church, Colwood, and St. Matthew's Church, Langford.

Mr. Page will arrive in March to take charge of the two parishes. He replaces Rev. H. J. Jones, who leaves later this month to become rector of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay.

Announcement of Mr. Page's appointment was made by Archbishop Harold E. Sexton.

Fine of \$300 For Bootlegger

A \$300 fine or the alternative of three months at hard labor was imposed in city police court Thursday on John Richard Lauder, 1460 Oliver, after he pleaded guilty to bootlegging.

A police constable testified he saw Lauder sell two bottles of whisky and then searched his private automobile, where he found seven bottles of whisky, one bottle of gin and three cases of beer.

Counsel said it was Lauder's first conviction. Lauder previously pleaded not guilty, then changed his plea today.

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THIS SCREWBALL WORLD

Tobruk No Man-Scaring Tiger, Tobruk No Longer Tobruk Either

PIACENZA, Italy (AP)—Tobruk, the stay-at-home tiger, didn't see eye to eye with his cagemates. So they ate him.

Tobruk loyally remained in the cage and wouldn't join in a few months ago, when other Togni circus tigers escaped through an unlocked door and went on a two-hour spree, scaring humans in Rome.

Only a few tufts of fur and tooth-marked bones remained of Tobruk.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. (AP)—A 24-year-old woman committed suicide, police said, by hanging herself from a belt tied to the post of her daughter's crib while the three-year-old child was sleeping in it.

Police said Mrs. Elizabeth Lackey wrapped a gingham belt around the post and stuck her head in the loop of the belt. She then apparently lifted both legs into a kneeling position, suspending herself with her knees just clearing the floor, and held that position until she suffocated.

TOKYO (AP)—A tiny baby boy, strapped to his mother's back in Japanese fashion, died Thursday in a jam-packed suburban electric train. Authorities said he was accidentally crushed to death by the gay holiday crowd.

The mother thought her six-week-old son was sleeping. Only when she took the baby from her back at home did she realize that he had stopped breathing.

KENORA, Ont. (CP)—George Moorey of nearby

To Meet Jan. 9

Esquimalt Golden Age Club will meet January 9 at 2 p.m. in the Esquimalt municipal hall.

old boy said in court Thursday he turned thief because all of his \$35 weekly salary went on credit buying and he did not have enough money left for food.

He testified he was making payments on an \$1,100 automobile and a \$300 television set.

Rabbit Lake chuckled Thursday at the double-takes of holiday motorists who looked in the picture window of his home. He had hung his Christmas tree from the ceiling, upside down.

TORONTO (CP)—A 16-year-

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Alcan 5 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
Alcan 6 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
Alcan 7 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
Alcan 8 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
Alcan 9 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
Alcan 10 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
Alcan 11 pr	250 1/2	249 1/2	250 1/2	0
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MARKET SUMMARIES

Crude Price Boost Sparks Oil Trading

Western oils continued to roll ahead in heavy trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange. Volume of 4,144,000 shares at 2 p.m. was the heaviest since May 11, 1956.

INVESTMENT FUNDS

Investment funds continued to show interest in the oil industry. The Standard Oil of New Jersey, one of the reasons behind the interest in oil stocks, was actively traded today on the New York market. Aside from the group advance of oils as well as most leading rails and chemicals it was a highly selective market.

AT TORONTO Pacific Petroleum was the leading western oil among high-priced stocks with a 1 1/2-point climb. Calgary and Edmonton added 1/2. Triad was up 30 cents and Security and Canadian Atlantic 25 cents each. Several other stocks added 15-20 cents.

Coppers were active among the mining stocks. Denison was ahead 1 1/2 among senior uranium but Northspan and Pronto lost 20 cents.

AT NEW YORK higher Canadian stocks included Distillers, Seagrams and Dome Mines, each up 1/2, and McIntyre Porcupine which moved ahead 1/2. Aluminum Ltd. dropped 1/2.

Lower Canadian issues on the American exchange included Eureka, Molybdenite and Wilrich Petroleum, each showing a drop of 1/16.

AT MONTREAL prices higher, some gains ranging to a point. The end of the lowering trend in the 35-year-old old head, George Ridout, from a converted dining room office came with sickening suddenness.

Last October, positive and confident, he predicted a record sales year for the firm with 25 branch offices in Ontario.

On Dec. 19 a discharged salesman entered a petition for bankruptcy at Osgoode Hall. Ridout, 40, was a partner in the firm.

"This is a retrenchment. I am not bankrupt and have no intention of going into bankruptcy," he said.

NO SOLUTION. But Thursday A. J. C. O'Marra, Ridout's counsel, told the court company directors worked three weeks in all-night meetings to solve the company's "financial embarrassment."

"We found it impossible to work out a solution," he said. He blamed three factors for the swift disintegration: tight federal money restrictions, a shrinking real estate market and the "unfortunate" of three salesmen to the point of recovery of a total \$4,994 in commissions.

HISTORIC INDUSTRY. Sardines form a valuable part of the yield in Portugal's historic fishing industry, contrasted with whales off the Azores.

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WINNIPEG (CP)—Trading continued dull today on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange as activity was limited by the Canadian Pacific Railway strike.

Some export interest showed in flax and barley, with trade reports that small parcels of flax were sold to the continent and fair quantities of barley to the United Kingdom.

Some activity showed in flax where export houses were buyers and elevators supplied hedges. Prices were irregular but generally steady. Barley also attracted export buying but hedging and offerings were about in line with the domestic market.

Domestic oat was mostly a steady market. Rye dealings were thin, with American houses on both sides of the market.

No information was available on overnight export wheat loadings. Lakehead prices for class two, IWA and domestic wheat were unchanged except for leading grades which advanced one cent.

AT CHICAGO (AP)—Soybeans firmed late in the session on the board of trade today in sympathy with a sharp rise in soybean oil prices.

Among other grains wheat turned downward at the start and remained down. Selling was based on moisture in parts of the crop.

INDUSTRIAL CENTRE. The Taft valley in Wales is entirely occupied with coal and iron industries.

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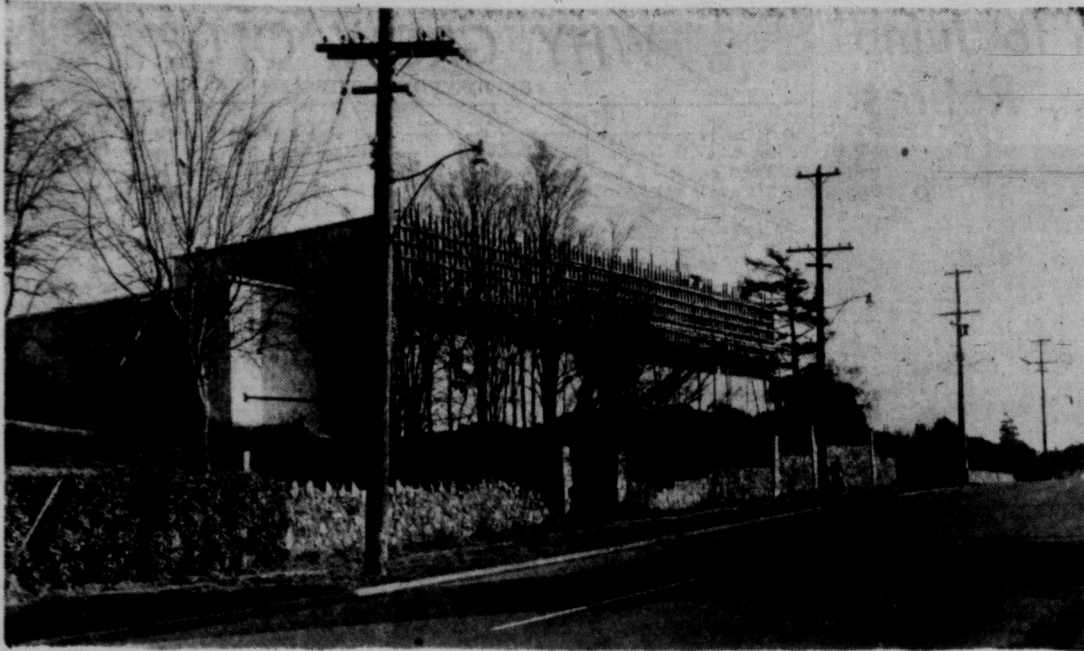
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SCHOOL MAINTENANCE 'SHOP' TAKES SHAPE

New \$189,000 school board maintenance building on Gorge Road near B.C. Forest Products plant will be completed by end of March. The building will combine old shops at Central Junior High School grounds,

on Kings Road and at Rock Bay Avenue. Contractor is Patterson Construction Ltd. and architects were Polson and Siddall. The building was authorized in the 1954 school loan by-law.



BETWEEN TIMES By MONTE ROBERTS

OUR VERY OWN CLUB CALENDAR

A record of events of interest to those who have interest in events which are to happen, have happened, or may not have happened:

The annual meeting of the Antigomishud branch of the Society for the Amorphous will be held at a time and place which is to be decided at the pre-annual meeting of the Antigomishud branch of the Society for the Amorphous at a time and place which is to be decided at the post-annual meeting of the Antigomishud branch of the Society for the Amorphous.

All Amorphous are cordially invited to attend.

The Ladies' Guild of the East Western Order of the Southern North held a very successful bazaar recently. The highlight of the bazaar was an auction of used clothing. The newest member of the EWOSN sold the greatest quantity of used clothing, except some of it was still in use. The result of the bazaar was very bizarre, to say the least.

Members of the Women's League Against Everything are reminded the next general meeting will be held Monday. Members are also reminded to bring something to be against.

A very charming shower was arranged recently for Miss Theresa Thambolt, a long-time member of the Frantisanian Association.

Fellow members of the Association went to great pains to make the shower a great success, and it would have been a great success, except the member in charge of the shower turned on the wrong tap.

This left Miss Thambolt cold.

The Society for the Development of Peppermint Cockroach-Bait will meet in the basement of Sloppy Joe's bar and grill Tuesday. Bring your own peppermints, also cockroaches.

A very charming evening was indulged in by the charming ladies who are affiliated with the Inside Straight Club Thursday night.

The charming ladies who make up the ladies' auxiliary to the Inside Straight Club allowed their husbands to stay home while they (the charming ladies) went out and played poker.

It was a very charming evening, indeed, for the charming ladies.

A general notice of a general meeting is being circulated generally to all wives of generals who belong to the Wives of Generals Club.

All Wives of Generals are invited to attend.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

Hopes that De Havilland Aircraft Company might construct a plant at Pat Bay airport faded at City Hall today.

Mayor Percy Scurrell, who was told by company president, P. C. Garratt, the plant was under consideration, has now been informed the matter has been suspended.

The mayor said he expects to hear more on the matter during a meeting with Mr. Garratt during a visit to Victoria "sometime in April."

Change of name of one of the city's largest legal firms and addition of John C. Cowan to the partnership was announced today.

The firm, Crease, Davis, Gordon, Baker, Lawson, Scott-Harston and Botterell, became Crease and Co. as of Jan. 1. Mr. Cowan, a graduate of University of B.C. in arts, 1943, and in law, 1949, is 31 and has been with the firm four years since coming to Victoria from Vancouver where he practised three years. He is a Second World War veteran of the RCAF.

A pair of youthful seafarers who ran afoul of the tides in the inner harbor were rescued on Thursday afternoon by a tug-boat crew.

The two boys, aged 12 and 14, piloted an eight-foot skiff to a frigate hull near Capital Iron Works at 1 p.m.

They climbed aboard the hull to investigate and became stranded when the rope holding the skiff broke away.

Their plight was seen by the tug Island Comet, which pulled alongside and took them to safety.

Both boys were given a stern reprimand by police.

Two fires in his home within five days cost Vernard M. Young, 1660 McKee, a total of \$40 in fines in Saanich court Thursday.

Young was fined \$15 for allowing his chimney to catch fire Dec. 9 and \$25 for depositing ashes in a cardboard box on the basement floor Dec. 13.

The second offence, which Magistrate H. C. Hall described as a very dangerous practice, resulted in a small fine in the basement.

Walter Grexton, 5273 Cordova Bay Road was sentenced in Saanich police court Thursday to two years in the penitentiary on a morals charge. He had pleaded guilty.

League of the Handicapped will meet in the YWCA recreation room tonight at 7:30. Members desiring transportation may phone Miss Ruth Scott at the YWCA or Fred Blakeney at 2-8315.

Winners of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Christmas lighting contest will be awarded prizes and trophies at a meeting at the Monterey Restaurant tonight at 7.

A New Year's Eve benefit dance at Lakeside Tea Room, Beaver Lake, for the burned-out family of Robert Durocher of Sooke, raised \$105.75.

Most of the money came as donations after 1 a.m. when the sale of tickets was discontinued.

Two infants were lost in the fire which swept the Durocher home two days after Christmas. The dance was sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Sadler, proprietors of the Beaver Lake pavilion, who lost two children in a similar fire in 1947.



OFFICIAL APPOINTMENT
Dr. Clifford Carl, director of the provincial museum, as assistant district commissioner for the Rover Scouts, Victoria district, is expected next week. Boy Scout headquarters said today. Dr. Carl has accepted the position, but his appointment by provincial commissioner Dr. D. F. Kidd has not been confirmed. Dr. Carl has been a member of Fairfield group of Rover Scouts.

Firemen Ask Same Boost As Police

Victoria firemen have matched the city police 15 per cent wage demand in an effort to gain parity with firefighters in Vancouver.

The wage increase request made known today would boost fire department expenses by about \$38,000 compared to \$60,000 estimated for the police department.

This would indicate about a two-mill tax increase unless bargaining pares the demands, or civic incomes increase also.

Firemen's union president, Al Adamson said, "Today we are the tenth on the provincial wage list for firemen where in 1953 we were second. In 1947 we were \$3 behind Vancouver. Today we are \$30 behind them."

He said the wage demand would mean an average boost of 24 cents an hour for the 84 men affected. First class firemen now receive \$332 a month, the same salary as a first class police constable.

Mr. Adamson said the union is also asking a group life insurance arrangement which would be a no-cost item to the city in that the city "gets the dividends." An extra week's holiday with pay after 25 years' service is also requested.

KINSMEN PLAN FOR CHILDREN

\$400,000 Drive For Handicapped

First new welfare project of Kinsmen Clubs since they established B.C. Polio Fund in 1950 starts Jan. 16 with a drive to raise \$400,000 for rehabilitation of the province's estimated 27,000 handicapped children.

The month-long campaign at Victoria and centres throughout B.C. will be conducted gradually among industrial and business firms, winding up with an hour-long mothers' march on city homes.

Victoria city council has endorsed unanimously the entire

program, which envisions opening of a school of rehabilitation at University of British Columbia next September, and eventual construction of a 300-bed rehabilitation centre on UBC campus.

Handicapped children are defined as those suffering from physical or emotional defects expected to hamper education and gainful employment in later life if untreated.

Only a comparative handful of children can be treated effectively through existing facilities.

\$75,000 HERE
It is planned to aim for about \$75,000 in the Victoria campaign, handled by chairman Ted Hamer, Vic Van Isle Kinsmen Club, assisted by Win Chivers, Ken John and members of the club.

Last year the club collected \$46,000 here in the Mothers' March on Polio.

Third phase of the program for rehabilitation is provision of \$50,000 for immediate remedial and surgical care for handicapped children whose parents are unable to bear such cost.

MEET TONIGHT
At a meeting tonight the club will lay plans for the drive as outlined by provincial campaign chairman Ed Turner, Miss Chivers and Beryl Wilson, secretary of B.C. Kinsmen Care Committee, the organization which selects persons requiring aid.

The polio fund will get \$150,000 of the funds realized this year in order to continue with its work.

University of B.C. has accepted the proposal to set up a therapist training centre with a grant of \$50,000 from the fund. It will be the only Canadian school to train all types of therapists.

Co-operating with the polio fund will be Crippled Children's Registry and other organizations for helping the handicapped.

Local campaign headquarters is room 7, 710 Johnson, where donations may be sent.

Building Total Down \$1 Million In Victoria Area

Esquimalt Shows Only Increase

Value of Greater Victoria construction fell a million dollars in 1956, year-end figures show.

Permits worth a total \$17,522,393 were issued in Victoria, Saanich, Oak Bay and Esquimalt in the 12 months just ended. In 1955 there was \$18,592,150 worth of construction.

Saanich, Oak Bay and Victoria each showed a decline, but Esquimalt building nearly doubled to a total \$1,957,256, shattering its 1955 record of \$1,028,529.

Lowest spread between 1956 and 1955 totals was registered by Oak Bay, where in the 12 months ended permits valued at \$2,562,818 were issued, a drop of \$140,945.

In Saanich the figure fell from \$6,369,310 in 1955 to \$5,036,585 last year. There were a total 991 permits issued in 1956, 1,145 in 1955.

December's total in Saanich was \$16,400, \$33,600 of which was for seven dwellings.

Out of the year's dwellings total 555 permits worth \$3,647,110 were issued, against 754 valued at \$4,925,390 in 1955.

126 HOUSES

Residential construction accounted for \$1,798,100 of the total in Oak Bay. During the year 126 houses were built or started, compared with 108 in 1955.

Five new apartments were built last year, ranging in size from two to 33 suites, and two conversions to apartment buildings were made.

A \$9,000 addition to Oak Bay's Montevue School was made, plus a \$6,000 addition to Oak Bay High.

In December three permits for houses valued at a total \$42,500 were issued.

SCHOOL WORK

Several school additions and new service stations helped the total figure in Saanich last year, but dwellings remained the largest item in final tabulation.

Largest industrial projects were a new warehouse for Hudson's Bay Co. valued at \$450,000 and a new Safeway store worth \$175,000.

Victoria's decline from \$8,490,518 in 1955 to \$7,965,734 last year could be attributed to lack of apartment construction and industrial expansion in the past 12 months.

Mayor Percy Scurrell said earlier in the year apartment construction in the city had reached its saturation point, but opponents of the city's new zoning regulations claim apartment builders are restricted.

Saanich has the space for apartments but there was no work of any significant nature in this respect in 1956, Oak Bay led in apartment construction, with Esquimalt second.

Losses Claimed At E&N Hearing

\$12,600 Deficit Every Year

CHRISTMAS CARDS REACH CITY FROM DROWNED PHOTOGRAPHER

Two Christmas cards posted from Guernsey Island by late Victoria photographer Helmuth Goertz, drowned with his wife and son off the coast of Spain last month, were received here Thursday.

Mrs. William Crothall, 1277 Fairfield, with whom the surviving member of the Goertz family, Anita, stayed while the Goertz residence was being sold, received a card, as did corner grocer Reg Lowe, who manages Wong Brothers on Cook.

Anita is now with an uncle in Edmonton.

Doctors Fight To Save Child

Condition of three-year-old Michelle Elliott, critically injured when she was in collision with a car near her home Thursday afternoon, was described by St. Joseph's Hospital officials today as "a little improved but still serious."

Doctors performed a lengthy brain operation Thursday night to save the child's life.

She suffered a fractured skull in the mishap, which occurred as she ran across Gnanford Avenue near her home at 614 Baker.

Driver of the car was Mark R. Knisley, 869 Parklands, who was travelling south on Gnanford.

Three other youngsters, including an eight-year-old girl who suffered a concussion when she fell from her bicycle, were taken to hospital from accidents Thursday.

Carol Ann Fecht of 914 Oliver was reported in "satisfactory" condition by Royal Jubilee Hospital officials today.

Oak Bay police said she was found at about 4 p.m. lying un-

conscious on Central Avenue by Mrs. B. Middel, 569 Falkland, who drove her to hospital.

Nine-year-old Dennis Harbour, 1632 Amphion, was in satisfactory condition in Royal Jubilee Hospital with a broken arm received when a ladder fell on him.

The accident took place at 3:30 p.m. beside a woodshed at 1520 Amphion.

A police ambulance which took the boy to hospital also conveyed a friend, eight-year-old Kenneth Geary, 1509 Amphion, who had been bitten on the leg by a dog.

The boy was discharged after treatment. Owner of the dog agreed to have the animal destroyed.

Good Homes, Jobs Available To Domestic Servants Here

A domestic servant in this area can choose from dozens of jobs offering ideal working conditions.

Miss Ilace Terry who handles employment of women for the National Employment Service here said today there are no women seeking employment as domestics, but there are close to 70 requests for household assistance on hand.

Many former servants now find the work unattractive despite higher wages and good working conditions, and are finding jobs in business and industry.

Miss Terry said the flow of immigrant girls has virtually dried up.

Apart from placements in business and industry, one of the reasons young women don't take kindly to the thought of becoming domestics is "that they feel they haven't the same freedom in a home as working elsewhere."

A recent survey of homes here requiring domestic help showed them to be of high calibre, she said, with the maid's room well-furnished, generally with a radio.

For a maid, the going rate is \$60 a month plus board and room, and for a cook-general, \$80 monthly with board and room.

Fifty years ago being a domestic was a respected occupation, but today, with girls graduating from school at an older age, ideas of security and opportunity have changed, said Miss Terry.

The only solution to the shortage, she said, was institution of broad courses which would illustrate the responsibility and fundamental dignity of housekeeping which is, after all, one of the prime roles of women, she said.



THREE OF THE MAIN SPEAKERS at "Universal Week of Prayer" next week will be, from left, Dr. J. B. Rowell, Rev. Percy Wills and Rev. C. G. MacKenzie. Week will be observed by most denominations.

OPENING SCHEDULED MONDAY

Week of Prayer Planned

Century-old "Universal Week of Prayer," sponsored here by the Victoria unit of the World Evangelical Fellowship, will open at Central Baptist Church, Monday at 2:30 p.m.

Meetings will consist of Scripture readings, meditation, thanksgiving, confession and prayer on the following subjects: "The Christian and

God," "The Christian and the Lord Jesus Christ," "The Christian and the Church," "The Christian and the Family," and "The Christian and Business."

Speakers at the five-day session will be Rev. C. B. Smith, Glad Tidings Tabernacle; Rev. Cecil Barner, Douglas Street Baptist Church; Dr. J. B. Rowell, Central Baptist Church; Rev.

C. G. MacKenzie, Victoria West United Church, and Rev. Percy Wills, superintendent of the Shantymen's Christian Association.

Meetings will be chaired by Rev. T. H. McAllister, Gorge Presbyterian Church; H. L. Hopkins; Rev. T. L. Wescott, Baptist Church at Brentwood Bay; Rev. C. R. Alton, Victoria Alliance Tabernacle, and F. J. Martens, president, British and Foreign Bible Society.

The week of prayer will be marked by the Christian Brethren Assemblies at Victoria Gospel Hall Monday through Thursday at 8 p.m., and at the new Oaklands Chapel, corner of Fernwood and Cedar Hill Roads, Friday at 8 p.m.

Quadrant Bible Chapel also will hold meetings Monday through Thursday at 8 p.m.

Public hearing before the Board of Transport Commissioners concerning CPR application to discontinue the passenger end of the present train service between Nanaimo and Port Alberni opened in the courthouse here today.

Argument by CPR counsel F. H. Britton was that the CPR subsidiary, Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, was suffering an annual loss of \$12,600 by maintaining a passenger car on the run.

"The mixed train is hardly ever used by the public," he said.

Submitting a City of Nanaimo letter which said road slides had halted truck and passenger traffic on the highway, and urging that rail passenger service be retained, he said, "If the road was blocked, the railway would be willing to put on a train" to haul passengers.

OFTEN DELAYED
T. V. Kennedy, divisional engineer and assistant E & N superintendent, said freight was now often delayed because of the necessity to move passengers between the two points. It could be speeded up if passenger service was dropped.

Tonnage hauled was limited by steep grades, he said. Present tonnage per trip was a maximum 800-odd, of which passenger coach and baggage took up 100 tons.

"We leave tonnage behind very often," he said.

Passengers now number less than 1,000 a year over the 61-mile route which takes trains about 3½ hours.

FOUR BUS TRIPS

District passenger agent for the CPR, Harry Newton, said the alternate method of passenger travel was by Vancouver Island Coach Lines which had four trips a day each way, made a trip in one hour and 40 minutes, and averaged 15 persons per bus.

"We can't be successful with our passenger operations," he said, pointing out that car numbers were heavy in the area; 4,500 in Port Alberni alone and about 10,000 in the entire district.

The hearing is before Mr. Justice John D. Kearney, chief commissioner, and Commissioner Frank M. MacPherson.

Appearing for the City of Nanaimo and the Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce was J. R. Dudley, and for Port Alberni, E. A. Dinsmore, city solicitor.

A delegation from Nanaimo was headed by Mayor Peter Maffeo while C. W. Gordon was present on behalf of the Chamber and district Chambers of Commerce. Present for the Vancouver Island Ratepayers' Association was president George Bonner, Cobble Hill.

Hearing is continuing.

ASK The TIMES

Q.—In a speech following the recent U.S. election, Mr. Stevenson used the following phrase: "There is radiance and glory in the darkness for those who have eyes to see; and to see we have only to look." Did this originate with Mr. Stevenson, or was he quoting? If quoting, would you tell us its source?—Mrs. F.W.K.

A.—Sorry, Ask the Times is unable to present documentary evidence on this vivid line. No reference in any of the books of quotations in the Times' library record the passage, and the same is true of the Provincial Library.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily.

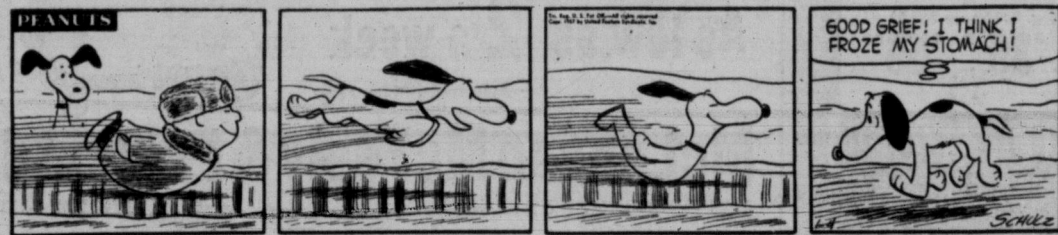
All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.

Premier Stalls Press Meetings

Premier W. A. C. Bennett said today he would hold no more press conferences until after the next session of the Legislature, due to start Feb. 7.

The premier instituted a system of twice-weekly press conferences some time ago but none have been held since early December, when the increase in liquor prices was the chief topic of discussion.

It had been hinted earlier that he would give no more press conferences, but today he answered with an emphatic "yes" when asked if the decision was definite.



THE BETTER HALF



SHOPPING GUIDE

Sale Time Can Be Fun Time If You've Prepared for It

By PENNY SAVER

Anywhere I wander... big signs, little signs, red signs, glaring purple signs and dollar signs have one thing in common, they're all SALE signs.

Whether you're in the market for shoes, dresses, sweaters or skirts, chinaware, glassware, toys or engine parts, you can buy them at prices anywhere from 10 to 50 per cent lower than before the holiday season. The situation can be a tremendous help or a disastrous hindrance to the well-being of your budget. If you shop with the idea of picking up particular things, and nothing more, you'll make it all right, but if you wander, first eyeing this and then that, chances are you'll get home, look at your parcels and wonder how you came to buy so much!

Oh, I know after-holiday shopping can be fun, and the smart woman sets aside some cash for just this time of year. I've been peeking into one store and another, taking advantage of the wonderful offers, too, and you can take my word for it that there are some very good buys. Just so your family won't get hungry, let me put in a good word for the food markets, where you're supposed to be heading. If you're not waylaid, and really do make it to the food shops, you'll find inviting fresh

vegetables to make your week-end dinners just like holiday dinners that we've become used to the last few weeks. Fresh broccoli is 43 cents for two pounds, and colorful carrots are two bunches for 29 cents.

New potatoes are available at two pounds for 23 cents. Cauliflower, a frothy and appetizing white, costs 30 cents. Savoy cabbages are 22 cents each, and regular green cabbage is 19 cents for two pounds. Sprouts are two pounds for 45 cents, and parsnips are two pounds for 39 cents. The same price for parsnips are yams and sweet potatoes. By the way, if you want to dress up these two vegetables in a new way, try boiling them, and then whipping them with brown sugar and cinnamon. Next, bake them in hollowed out orange halves. A marshmallow popped on top adds to the wonderful taste. Large navel oranges at two for a quarter or other navel oranges in varying sizes at 35, 45, 55 and 60 cents a dozen would be just right for the containers.

Delicious apples are two pounds for 29 cents, and packages of fancy delicious are 65 cents. Fancy macs are 59 cents a package, and gano apples are three pounds for 29 cents.

If you're wondering where to buy a particular item, call me at 2-3131. With so many sales on in town, shopping is made much easier if you know exactly where to head.

CLUB CALENDAR

International Order of Job's Daughters No. 2, New Year's tea, Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Company, 2:30 to 5 p.m., Saturday.

Rockland Park Women's Christian Temperance Union, Monday, 2 p.m., home of Mrs. N. Phillips, 2595 Cook Street. Annual prayer meeting. Special speaker, Dr. W. W. McPherson, Oak Bay United Church.

Women's Benefit Association, Review No. 1, Orange Hall, Monday, 8 p.m.

Women's Auxiliary to Veterans' Hospital, Monday at 2 p.m., at hospital.

Lake Hill Women's Institute, Monday at 1:30 p.m., Quadra Street Hall.

Oak Bay Subdivision, Catholic Women's League, Tuesday, Parish Hall, 8 p.m.

First Canadian Woman to Jump On Para-Rescue Course, Retires

WINNIPEG—Flying Officer Marian Neely of Middleton, N.S., the first woman in Canada to make a parachute jump on an organized para-rescue course and the last of the active para-rescue nurses presently in the RCAF, has left the service after completing a six-year term as a nursing sister, during which time she made 26 para-jumps.

FO Neely enlisted in the RCAF in February, 1951. Her first posting was to RCAF Station Rockcliffe where she became interested in para-rescue work.

In July, 1951, Marian enrolled in a three-month para-rescue course at Edmonton and Jasper. It was the same strenuous course as is given to men. At Edmonton she began a rigid program of physical education and tumbling, and it was there that she made her first jump. FO Neely found that the jumping was actually the easiest part of the course, which included 10 jumps in all. The second phase took place in Jasper Park. This involved such activities as mountain and glacier climbing, crossing ravines on ropes, and learning to survive in the wilderness. The students also learned Morse Code, bush lore, and the history of parachuting, as well as being instructed in such important measures as how to pack their own parachutes.

FO Neely was in a class of 15, of whom only four were women. In a graduation ceremony at Edmonton on Oct. 26, 1951, Marian was presented with her para-rescue wings. Altogether, seven women have graduated from the two courses which have passed through the para-rescue school. Since June, 1956, Marian has been the only one of them still performing para-rescue duties. The others, except one girl permanently grounded due to wrist injuries, have left the service, mainly for reasons of marriage.



FO. Neely, a nursing sister who turned to para-rescue.

Marian was born Sept. 25, 1928, in Middleton, N.S. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Neely, still live there, and it was in Middleton's MacDonald High School that she received her education. At the Fisher Memorial Hospital in Woodstock, N.B., she began her training as a nurse and graduated in 1949. She worked for over a year at Fundy Hospital, Black's Harbor, N.B., before joining the RCAF in 1951. FO Neely is 5 feet 6 inches

tall and weighs 110 pounds. On her jumps she carried about 65 pounds of clothing and equipment, including her own small medical kit. All other supplies were dropped in separate parachutes.

She asserts that she was only slightly nervous before jumping and found it an exciting experience. She denies that it is dangerous as long as you keep alert and remember all that you have been taught.

Try To Unwind Before Bedtime

To insure a good night's rest, you need time to "unwind" before you go to bed.

You won't do it with a cup of coffee and a cigarette. A tepid bath is a help and so is a glass of warm milk.

Lots of people read themselves to sleep. But don't pick a problem book or a horror story for this purpose.

Make sure your blanket is neither too light nor too heavy and that the room is properly ventilated. If your street is noisy and you can't cut off the noise by closing some windows, use ear plugs, those little foam rubber and wax contraptions that cut off noise very effectively.

Last, but far from least, clear your mind of problems when you close your eyes. There's nothing you can do about them at this point, anyway, and after a good night's sleep, you can often solve them effectively.

SKIN AND HAIR

The story of every charming mature woman who has retained her good looks can be told in one word: discipline. It's self-discipline that makes it possible to refuse a rich dessert, to get to bed on time, to include a walk in fresh air in the daily program, to map out exercises that

take care of those lumps and bumps that develop in the mid-thirties.

Discipline in diet and skin care, hair care and exercise has made it possible for the mature woman to keep her trim figure, shining hair and clear skin.

If these things are sufficiently important to you, you can have them, too. But to have them, and to keep them, you must be willing to put in boring hours of work. Exercise, hair-dress and diet are not fun. But the results are.

Picking a perfume that's right

for you is largely a matter of experimentation. Most department stores have perfume samples at hand for you to try. Once you've found a perfume you like, make sure that your skin reaction to it is good.

It's not necessary to settle down to one perfume for a lifetime. Most women have several different scents on hand and use them for various occasions.

Finally, make sure that your perfumes are those that please you, as well as other people. That's half the fun of wearing perfume.

WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Q. "Due to poor posture I have developed a Dowager's Hump. Could you give me a good exercise? I am in my early 30s. Is it too late for improvement?"

A. I should say it isn't! As part of the 'corrective measures you must try to remember your posture during the day. Otherwise you will somewhat nullify the good which the corrective exercises will do. The following is a good exercise. Lie on the floor on your back, arms resting on the floor, extending straight out from the shoulders, at right angles to the body. Palms

face the ceiling. Roll your head backward as you lift your shoulders from the floor. Hips remain on floor. Hold for a few moments and return shoulders to the floor. Continue, slowly.

Q. "I am 13 years old, 5 feet 3½ inches tall and weigh 106 pounds. My bust measures 33, waist 24 and hips 33½ inches. I am always conscious of having a big stomach and large expanding hips."

A. You are not overweight. If anything you are a little underweight, but not enough to worry about. You certainly do not have expanding hips with a measurement of 33½ inches. You will naturally slim down as you grow a little older.

Q. "I am 14 years old, weigh 123 pounds and am 5 feet 6 inches tall. My measurements are, bust 34, waist 24 and hips 35 inches. I would like to know if I am too fat. My thighs are very big and I don't look too good in a bathing suit or shorts. Please answer in the paper, please!"

A. You must be worrying about nothing very serious because you are not at all overweight. You probably could stand to gain about five pounds.

Q. "I am 13 years old. My measurements are 36-28-36. I weigh 130 pounds but I am only 5 feet 2 inches tall. I tried to get thinner and did lose some weight but all the charts I look at tell me I should weigh something different. I would appreciate it if you would tell me what my weight should be."

A. About 106 pounds.

Q. "I am 37 years old, 5 feet 5 inches tall and weigh 130 pounds."

I'm not overweight but I have fat on my stomach and my hips are no longer firm. Is there anything I can do about this to improve?"

A. Yes. Take abdominal and hip exercises. Special exercises are the only answer to these special problems.

If any of my readers would like to have these exercises send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 5. Address Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

TODAY'S RECIPE

LIMA SOUP WITH MEAT BALLS

One cup large dry limas, 5 cups boiling water, 1 medium-sized onion, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine, 1 cup canned tomatoes, 1 cup sliced celery, 1 cup diced carrot, 1 bay leaf, 2½ teaspoons salt, ¼ pound ground lean beef, ¼ cup fine dry bread crumbs, 3 tablespoons milk, ¼ teaspoon Worcestershire sauce.

Rinse limas, add water and boil 2 minutes. Cover and let stand 1 hour or longer. Chop onion and cook briefly in butter. Add to soaked limas with other vegetables, bay leaf and 2 teaspoons salt. Cook slowly 2 hours or until limas are tender. Combine beef, crumbs, milk, Worcestershire sauce and remaining ¼ teaspoon salt, and mix well. Shape into tiny meat balls. Brown lightly in hot skillet and add to soup. Simmer 15 minutes longer.

Makes 6 servings.

Installation Ceremony Next Tuesday

When members of Colfax Rebeek Lodge No. 1, 1007, meet next Tuesday in the Odd Fellows Hall at 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Margaret Gower, district deputy president, will install officers for the coming year.

The retiring noble grand, Mrs. Olive Green, has had a successful year, reports show, with more than 20 new members admitted and many teas and sales, including the annual bazaar that realized \$750. These receipts are used for philanthropic projects of the lodge.

LOUISE DAVIS

On Etiquette

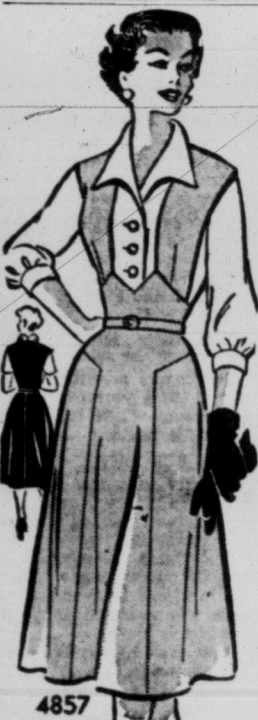
About exchanging gifts: I received a birthday gift from an out-of-town friend in the form of some pink gloves. I never wear pink and the gloves won't go with anything I own. Would it be all right if I mail them back to her and ask her to exchange them for another color?

Louise Davis answers: Your friend probably would think you ungrateful if you sent them back. Furthermore, why expect her to go to the trouble of exchanging them? After all, she selected pink gloves thinking that you would like them, and that the color would be becoming to you.

You might be able to write the store and exchange them, but by all means do not inconvenience your friend. I suggest that you put the gloves away. They may come in handy at a later date and some day you might find that pink is becoming.



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BULLETINS

Strikers Offer to Run Relief Trains

MONTREAL (BUP)—The striking Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen offered tonight to assist in operating relief trains to isolated communities along the Canadian Pacific Railroad—provided the relief trains carry firemen in their diesel engines.

Ottawa May Aid Vancouver's Coliseum

VANCOUVER (CP)—Possibility of a \$1,000,000 federal government grant for construction of a \$3,000,000 downtown coliseum in Vancouver was indicated here today by Defence Minister Campney.

Following a meeting with Mayor Hume and the Downtown Business Association, Mr. Campney said he will take the matter before the federal cabinet provided the city can give "good reasons," such as B.C.'s centennial, why the grant should be made.

CP Telegraph Service Carries On

VANCOUVER — Canadian Pacific Telegraphs said today that 172 of its commercial telegraph offices from Victoria to Halifax, N. S., are conducting business normally despite the close-down of depot telegraph offices caused by the current general Canadian Pacific Railway work stoppage.

A spokesman for the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Company said today that commercial offices of the company located across the length and breadth of the Dominion will continue to provide services between stations and that arrangements can be made to handle communications to the few destinations presently without CPR telegraph service.

Hungarian Refugees Riot at Metz

METZ, France (AP)—One thousand Hungarian refugees rioted here today to protest what they said were delays in admitting them to the United States and Canada.

The refugees, ranging in age from 15 to 30, smashed tables, chairs and windows in the camp where they have been living since Dec. 7. They shouted: "We will march on Metz" and worried authorities threw a security cordon of riot police around the camp. One hundred and fifty of the refugees got into town Thursday and staged a demonstration.

Increase in Winnipeg Bus Fare Asked

WINNIPEG (BUP)—Bus fares may be going up in Winnipeg, John Blumberg, chairman of the Greater Winnipeg Transit Commission, said today that the commission had asked the Municipal and Public Utilities Board to set a date for an application for increased fares.

Blumberg said the transit system lost a million fares last year and went in the red \$180,000 in the fiscal year which ended last November.

\$25 Million Bremerton Drydock Okayed

SEATTLE (AP)—U.S. Defence Department approval of a navy request for \$25,438,000 to start work on a huge drydock at the Puget Sound naval shipyard next summer was reported today.

The Times correspondent in Washington said Senator Jackson announced the approval.

The senator also said the navy has authorized the 13th Naval District to award a \$1,300,000 contract for engineering and design.

Maclean Becomes
Judge On Feb. 1

Appointment of H. Alan Maclean, QC, deputy attorney general for B.C., as a judge of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, was announced in Ottawa today by Justice Minister Stuart Garson.

The appointment is effective Feb. 1. Mr. Maclean will take the place of Mr. Justice H. S. Wood, who has retired. His appointment will bring

the number of Supreme Court justices in B.C. up to 11, full authorized strength.

Mr. Garson's announcement ended speculation regarding the appointment which has been expected for some weeks.

Attorney General Robert Bonner said today there would be no immediate announcement of a successor to Mr. Maclean. Assistant deputy attorney

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PM MAY INTERVENE
IN RAILWAY STRIKE

ONE FROM B.C.

Four New
Senators
Appointed

Sydney J. Smith, Kamloops businessman and one of British Columbia's most prominent Liberals, was named to the Senate today.

He was one of four new senators whose appointments were announced in Ottawa by Prime Minister St. Laurent.

The others are:
Austin C. Taylor, 63, Salisbury, N.B., former New Brunswick agriculture minister;

Henri C. Bois, 59, agronomist from St. Bruno, Que.;
William Boucher, 67, a farmer from Prince Albert, Sask., and former member of the Commons.

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Democrat Bucks
Ike's Plan
For Mid-East

(See also Page 3.)
WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Mike Mansfield (Dem., Mont.) called on President Eisenhower today to give the United States Congress an estimate of the "costs and of the dangers" involved in his proposal for thwarting possible Red aggression in the Middle East.

Mansfield, a member of the Senate foreign relations committee, said Eisenhower should provide this information when he appears before a joint session Saturday.

The president will go before an unusual Saturday joint session to press for approval of a resolution which would:

1. Give him advance authority to use U.S. military might if he feels such a move necessary to block Russian intrusion into the Middle East.

2. Authorize the spending of \$400,000,000 over a two-year period beginning next July for economic aid to countries in the strife-ravaged area.

Adlai E. Stevenson, defeated Democratic presidential candidate, said in a statement that Eisenhower "is evidently trying frantically to fill the vacuum that his own policy helped create before Russia does."

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SELECTIONS

SANTA ANITA

1—Re-Armad Jon, Fleet Star, Wish U Well.
2—Fathers Alibi, Balco's Ram, Mateke.
3—de Vora, Rekindled, Cobblers Bench.
4—Senior Coal, Ole Travis, Better Weapon.
5—Holands II, South, Fraser Valley.
6—Golden One, Gold Cover, Myrtle Eye.
7—Powerhouse, Blisbull, Honey's Alibi.
8—Count Me Out, Dudley Darbury, Hi Parader.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Doctor Hetta, Black Charger, Joe's Jeep.
2—Hotel Man, Teachers Tu, Tasa.
3—Uncle Todd, Fraxus, Most Charm-ing.
4—Lord Jan, Heleque, Big Winner.
5—Dave Johnston, Thumb Tiger, Caballo.
6—Sam Brook, Will Be Done, By Land.
7—Steven S, Makes Perfect, Vacci.
8—Orover B, Conly Bay, Ramrod.
9—Howard County, Tonight, Pilot Jet.

Canada's Extremes

High—Victoria: 41
Low—The Pas —13

OL' VIC SAYS:

Then there wuz th' shovel manufacturer who insisted th' diesel locomotive ought t' carry coal shovels, jus' in case.

Maybe we should hev kept that boat connection with San Francisco.

I s'pose movin' th' TV station t' th' top of a mountain'll put th' programs on a higher plane.

UNION CHIEF GUARDED
AFTER VIOLENCE THREATS

MONTREAL (BUP)—Dorval police today guarded the home of union chief William Gamble, whose Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen members are on strike against the Canadian Pacific Railways, following two telephone threats of physical violence.

Gamble disclosed that the calls threatened physical harm to him and his family. There also was a threat to blow up his home.

\$55 Million B.C.
Gas Line Boost

VANCOUVER (CP)—Plans to spend \$55,000,000 to increase capacity of the Peace River gas pipeline from a projected 400,000,000 cubic feet per day to 660,000,000 cubic feet were announced today by Westcoast Transmission Co. Ltd. as part of a \$100,000,000 expansion program.

Included is construction of a new sulphur plant in south-western Alberta and a new natural gas pipeline from Savanna to southeastern B.C. and the U.S. border.

Builders of the \$170,000,000 natural gas line through British Columbia from the Peace River area to the U.S. border, Westcoast said a contract has been signed with Phillips Petroleum Co. of Bartlesville, Okla., for gas in the Savanna Creek area in Southern Alberta, near the B.C. border.

Another contract has been signed for export of the gas via Kingsgate, B.C., with Pacific Northwest Pipeline Corporation of Houston, Texas. It is the same company with which West-

coast has a contract to deliver gas from its Peace River line, expected to be completed late this year.

Two PHASES
Frank McMahon, president of Westcoast who made the announcement, said the program will be divided into two phases.

Of the total, \$55,000,000 will be spent to increase the capacity of the 30-inch Peace River line to 660,000,000 cubic feet a day from a planned 400,000,000 cubic feet a day.

This will mean additional compressor stations and other facilities, said Mr. McMahon, adding that the increased flow is necessary to meet greatly in-

creased demand for gas in the U.S. and Canada.

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W. Coast Ship
Escapes Tie-UpPrincess of Alberni Only Vessel
Still Carrying Freight on Coast

Mv. Princess of Alberni, scheduled to sail this afternoon from Vancouver for west coast of Vancouver Island ports, is the only CPR ship still carrying freight to B.C. ports.

Fully loaded, and with crew aboard, she has been undergoing minor engine repairs. Her departure will bring a temporary end to possible hardships for Island residents who depend on the small CPR vessel for supplies.

Although CPR ferries between Victoria and Vancouver, Nanaimo and Vancouver, and Victoria and Seattle are maintaining schedule, the threat of a tie-up continues.

The ferries have stopped carrying freight.

A meeting of the B.C. Federation of Labor at Vancouver, slated for 2 p.m. today, may decide whether the ships continue in service at all, and whether truckers will handle freight across picket lines set up by the striking railway firemen.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER—Closing sales: United Oils 200 at \$2. Charter Oils 400 at \$2.45. Bethlehem Copper 100 at \$2.65. Inland Gas 25 at \$8.75. Canam Copper 50 at \$5. Mid West Copper 50 at \$3.25. Vantor 600 at \$1.32.

Triad 500 at \$8.85. Inland Gas (pri.) 125 at \$19. Pacific Pete 50 at \$19.50. Canadian Collieries 100 at \$7. Sunshine Lardeau 1,000 at \$6.

KIDNAPPED OR WHAT?

Police Hunt
'The Body'

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Hint Action Monday
Before Session Opens

By VICTOR J. MACKIE, Times Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA—Prime Minister St. Laurent may decide to meet with heads of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen (GLC), and the Canadian Pacific Railway early next week, in a final effort to bring about a settlement of the railway strike, before calling upon Parliament to act.

(The Canadian Press, in a report from Ottawa, quoted Mr. St. Laurent as saying something may be disclosed after Monday's cabinet meeting, the final ministerial session before Parliament opens on Tuesday.)

Should such a meeting come about it is believed the Prime Minister would propose the referring of the questions at issue to the Board of Transport Commissioners for a detailed study and report, or the establishment of an independent tribunal to do that job.

While the study was being made the CPR would resume operations.

The Board of Transport Commissioners has the power to make decisions on what has become the main strike issue.

The union has refused to accept the CPR management's decision to do away with firemen in diesels on yard and freight service. But section 290 of the Railway Act gives the board power in "designating the number of men to be employed upon trains with a view to the safety of the public and of the employees."

The CPR has agreed to go to the board. The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen has not agreed to submit the issue to the board. No one yet has sought the opinion of the board on the issue.

Personal Intervention Last Resort

Government sources said there was the possibility that the prime minister as a last resort, before going to parliament, might personally intervene to bring the two parties together and use the weight of his high office and his personal prestige to try to persuade union and management to reach a settlement.

Both Rt. Hon. C. D. Howe, as acting prime minister, and Hon. M. F. Gregg, minister of labor, failed to settle the dispute in 10 hours of talks last Saturday and again Monday.

The government is reluctant to have to resort to the passage of special legislation forcing an end to the strike. If the union

and CPR management can be possibly persuaded to find some basis for settlement this would be far preferable to having parliament intervene as far as the government is concerned.

There is a precedent for the Prime Minister taking such action. Mr. St. Laurent called the disputing parties together in 1950. But at that time he met with no success. Parliament was used to settle that issue.

In 1953 the Prime Minister was able to prevent a walk-out and lay the basis for a settlement, three days before the strike deadline, as a result of his discussions with labor and management. It was a personal triumph.

\$10,000,000 Production Loss Daily

Late Thursday night, spokesmen for the company and firemen said their positions are unchanged. No overtime had been made by either side.

About 70,000 of the company's employees are idle in the strike, called by 3,000 firemen on issues of wages and the role of diesel firemen-helpers.

While centres fed solely by the CPR coped with problems of fuel, food, mail and other de-

tails, federal economists suggested at Ottawa the strike may snip \$10,000,000 daily from Canada's national production over its first week. After that, the slice might rise as high as \$10,000,000 daily.

Any such loss over a prolonged period could have a serious impact on a national production estimated to reach a record of more than \$31,000,000,000 this year, sharply higher than last year's \$29,700,000,000.

STRIKE DEVELOPMENTS

1. St. Laurent may act by Monday.
2. Full ferry tie-up still threatens.
3. Gamble threatened; home guarded.
4. CPR express here closes down.
5. Production loss in Canada to be \$10 millions daily.
6. Number of jobless grows.
7. Halifax gets shipping boom. (See Page 21.)

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The mother called police, then rushed to her daughter's home in Encino. She found the front door ajar and lights blazing in Miss McDonald's bedroom.

The three house servants were sleeping.

Soon after the call to Mrs. Tuboni, the 32-year-old actress' former husband, wealthy shoe manufacturer Harry Karl, received a call.

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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

SANTA ANITA

FIRST RACE — 1 1/16 miles:
Darling Shirlie 112
Honest Abby 118
Misty Mountain 112
Pony Blue 112
Devilment 112
Wish U Well 112
Special Permit 112

SECOND RACE — Seven furlongs:
War Vole 118
Anchorage 116
Red Seven 118
Sweet As Pie 109
Book 116
Machua 109
Fathers Alibi 114

THIRD RACE — Six furlongs:
Lycos Son 111
Se Vora 113
Banker Vic 119
Little Lion 109
Cobblers Bench 114
Kinscarnival 103
Rekindled 119
Chancery 111

FOURTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Oliver Rover 114
Nasomix 112
Better Weapon 110
Lassalati 112
Solinger 112
Gentle 114

FIFTH RACE — 1 1/16 miles:
Chiliford 112
For Eternity 119
Fraser Valley 120
Up 117
Sealth 117
Pit Boss 119
Holands II 119

SIXTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Golden One 123
Ruford 123
No Bums 123
Viburnus 123
Gold Cover 118
Liberal Art 122
Red-Reader 118

SEVENTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Honors Alibi 120
Poma 111
Prydz 109
Blue Volt 110
Hillary 112
Hobart 122

EIGHTH RACE — 1 1/16 miles:
Count Me Out 117
Breeding Rebe 114
Wind Wings 109
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

NINTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Dudley Darbury 114
Sun Of Queen 114
Lookout Point 111
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

TENTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Dudley Darbury 114
Sun Of Queen 114
Lookout Point 111
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

ELEVENTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Dudley Darbury 114
Sun Of Queen 114
Lookout Point 111
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

Twelfth RACE — Six furlongs:
Dudley Darbury 114
Sun Of Queen 114
Lookout Point 111
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

Thirteenth RACE — Six furlongs:
Dudley Darbury 114
Sun Of Queen 114
Lookout Point 111
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

Fourteenth RACE — Six furlongs:
Dudley Darbury 114
Sun Of Queen 114
Lookout Point 111
Hobart 122
Pivins Earl 114
New Silver 114
Michaela Angel 104

2 SEARCHERS DIE ON PEAK

AOMORI, Japan (AP)—Bitter cold killed two men in a nine-man search party on the treacherous slopes of Mount Hakioda today. Two others are missing and feared dead. The nine started out Thursday night to hunt for a missing skier, now believed dead.

SHIPS

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CPR ships have been respected by truck drivers and no cargo has been handled on them.

The firemen aim to immobilize the company's direct shipping links with the railway, a union official said.

If the 950 men employed on the West Coast CPR ships went on strike in sympathy with the firemen, seven ships would be affected.

Five ferries provide daily service between Vancouver, Victoria and Nanaimo and Seattle. There is one return trip a day between Vancouver and Victoria and between Victoria and Seattle. Eight return trips are made daily between Vancouver and Nanaimo.

Black Ball Ferries Ltd., which would be unaffected, also operates a service to Nanaimo from Horseshoe Bay on Howe Sound and has said it will provide 24-hour service if necessary.

Nothing was finalized Thursday at a meeting of the Maritime Port Council, comprised of nine international unions controlling seamen, dockworkers and truck drivers.

W. L. Druce, international vice-president of firemen, said "We have been given a definite assurance our picket lines will be respected."

Charles Gower, secretary of the district Council of Teamsters, said the council "unanimously endorsed strike action."

Today's meeting will refer any final decision to the Canadian Labor Congress in Ottawa for approval.

Time, Digest Pay New Tax; Others Quit

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada's new tax on Canadian editions of foreign magazines—announced in the federal budget last March—has gone into effect with the new year. Apparently only Time and Reader's Digest will pay the tax at present.

Four other publications—Parents Magazine, Family Circle, Woman's Day and Canadian Farm Chemicals— which had Canadian editions when the tax was announced, have discontinued them. Another American magazine, Better Living, which also had a Canadian edition, has itself ceased publication. Religious and medical magazines are exempt.

Both Time and Reader's Digest have raised their advertising rates to cover the tax. On the basis of 1955 figures it is estimated they will pay an additional \$900,000 in taxes.

Lollo Is Enceinte

ROME (Reuters)—Italian actress Gina Lollobrigida announced Thursday night she is expecting a baby — "I hope a girl"—next July. Gina and her husband, Dr. Milko Skofic, who were married in January, 1949, said they were delighted.

BACKACHE MaybeWarning

Backache is often caused by lazy kidney action. When kidneys get out of order, excess acids and wastes remain in the system. Then backache, disturbed rest or that tired-out and heavy-headed feeling may soon follow. That's the time to take Dodd's Kidney Pills. Dodd's stimulate the kidneys to normal action. Then you feel better—sleep better—work better. Get Dodd's Kidney Pills now.

... SENATORS

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The appointments—for life terms at \$10,000 a year—cut vacancies in the 102-seat upper chamber to 14 from 18. All of the new appointees are Liberals.

Mr. Smith, 64, was elected to the B.C. legislature in 1949 and was defeated in his bid for reelection in 1952 by Highways Minister P. A. Gagliardi.

He first became prominent in provincial Liberal party affairs at the 1947 convention of the B.C. Liberal Association, and in 1949 was elected first vice-president.

He was elected president in 1953 and held the position until last year.

As a member of the legislature he was chairman of the B.C. hospital insurance committee which made an extensive review of the operations of the BCHHS.

CAR DEALER

Born in Ottawa, Mr. Smith has been an automobile dealer in Kamloops since the mid-thirties, and also holds executive positions in hop plantations and dairy operations in the Kamloops area.

He is married, and has two grown sons and a daughter. He is a member of the United Church.

Mr. Boucher, 67-year-old farmer, is a former Liberal member of the Commons, who represented Rosthern, Sask., from 1948 to 1953. A reeve for the municipality of St. Louis for 16 years, he also was director of the Saskatchewan Association of Rural Municipalities for six years and a director of the Saskatchewan Anti-Tuberculosis League for 12 years. He is a Roman Catholic.

RANCHER

Mr. Taylor, 63, is a former New Brunswick minister of agriculture — 1935-52 — and was elected leader of the N.B. Liberal party in 1954. He is a farmer, fox-rancher and merchant. He is a Baptist.

Mr. Bois, 59, an agronomist, is president and general manager of the Co-operative Federation of Quebec, Quebec's largest agricultural co-operative. He is a Roman Catholic.

These are the first appointments to the Upper Chamber since July, 1955. At that time Mr. St. Laurent appointed 13 senators, including one Conservative and one woman. There now are five women in the chamber.

The vacancies by provinces: Newfoundland, one; Nova Scotia, one; New Brunswick, two; Quebec, five; Ontario, two; Manitoba, one; Saskatchewan, one; Alberta, one.

Current standing in the Senate: Liberals, 80; Conservatives, 5; independent Liberals, 1; independent, 2; vacancies, 14.

MOUNTAIN SPOT

Interlaken in the Swiss Alps gets its name from "Inter Lacus" an Augustine monastery founded in 1133.

CP Express Here Closed By Strike

Operation of the Canadian Pacific Express Company office in Victoria stopped today as a result of the rail strike.

Fourteen drivers and 24 office personnel have been laid off. N. R. Desmond, depot agent for the express company, said the intention had been to keep the office open to handle steamship express between Victoria and the mainland, but pickets in Vancouver closed down the operation.

"We are not being picketed here," he said, "because there is no need for picketing. Express shipments are not being accepted in Vancouver, so there is no incoming express. We cannot accept shipments here because they will not be delivered in Vancouver."

MACLEAN

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general is Gilbert P. Hogg, former legislative counsel, whose appointment as Queen's Counsel was announced by the provincial cabinet Wednesday.

Mr. Maclean joined the attorney-general's department 22 years ago as departmental solicitor, and was assistant deputy for 10 years before his appointment as deputy in July, 1954.

He succeeded Lieut.-Col. Eric Pepler, QC.

Mr. Maclean was born in Victoria in 1903, son of H. A. Maclean, KC, who was himself a former deputy attorney-general of the province.

EDUCATED HERE

He was educated at Victoria schools, Victoria College, and McGill University, Montreal.

Following graduation, he was articled to his father, who was at that time practising law here, and was called to the bar in 1927.

He practised law in Kamloops and Vancouver and joined the attorney-general's department as departmental solicitor in 1934.

He was appointed a King's Counsel in 1950.

Mr. Maclean has acted as counsel for the government in courts all over the country, and the Privy Council. He is married and has two children.

His home is at 2848 Dewdney Avenue, Oak Bay.

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... McMAHON

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Increased demands for natural gas since the project was originally planned.

Prime user will be Pacific Northwest Pipeline in the U.S. but both B.C. Electric Co. and Inland Natural Gas have increased their planned volume for use in B.C.

NEW FIELDS

The second phase costing \$45,000,000 will include a 174-mile, 30-inch pipeline from newly discovered gas fields in Savanna owned by Phillips to Southeastern B.C.

Also included in this phase, said Mr. McMahon, is construction of a 500-ton-a-day sulphur plant in Southwestern Alberta.

The new pipeline will serve Coleman, Blairmore and other areas in Alberta and Natal, Michel, Cranbrook, Fernie, Kimberley and other southeastern B.C. towns.

"When the pipeline is completed from Savanna Creek field to Kingsgate, it will mean that we have assured natural gas service for practically every community in B.C.," said Mr. McMahon.

"In addition (the new pipeline) will give an incentive to renewed exploration and drilling activities in the Flathead district of southeastern B.C. which has always been considered potentially favorable to oil and gas discoveries," said Mr. McMahon.

70% COMPLETE

Construction of the Peace River line went into high gear in 1956 and now is more than 70 per cent complete. Gas is scheduled to flow by fall this year.

The project includes a \$15,000,000 gas processing plant at Taylor, B.C., in the Peace River.

Mr. McMahon said he believed the gas reserves of northern Alberta and B.C. "may some day be ranked among the greatest on the continent."

He said the proposed merger of Pacific Northwest and El Paso Natural Gas Co. — two major U.S. natural gas pipelines to serve the Pacific Coast, Colorado and the U.S. Midwest — will provide a huge market area for surplus Canadian gas.

GEORGE IN GOOD CONDITION

City Boy's Heart Stopped In Touch-and-Go Surgery

Flow of blood to the heart of a 10-year-old boy was halted for three minutes during a history-making operation at Royal Jubilee Hospital recently, it was confirmed today.

The rare technique, developed in Europe and tried sparingly since, was never before attempted in the city.

The success of the operation enables George Exley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Exley, 1216 Pembroke, to look forward to sports and normal boyhood pursuits he has never enjoyed before.

The youngster was born with a hole in a wall separating two main chambers of the heart.

A Victoria surgeon—anonymous because of medical profession ethics—carried out two operations, using a technique developed in Copenhagen and seldom used before in this country.

In order to mend the hole a large vein bringing blood to the heart was constricted, stopping the flow and the heart for about three minutes. All repairs to the vital organ had to be completed in that short time as to stop the heart for longer would mean probable brain damage, medical experts stated.

The operation was conducted in two phases, the first on

Nov. 13. The second, carried out Dec. 18, lasted four and a half hours.

George is in good condition in his third week of convalescence.

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